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"MODERATE RECOVERY"

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.

How far and how speedily are we emerging from the terrible depression of 1929 which swept us into a whirlpool of falling prices, currency depreciation, tariff wars, and forced economies and left each country with the bitter burdens of heavy unemployment, lower wage levels, and depressed areas? The International Labour Office, whose membership includes every great nation except Germany (but has non-League members in the United States and Japan), is a body peculiarly fitted to supply the information upon which an attempt to answer this great question can be based. In its "Year-book for 1934-5," now published, it draws statistics from a hundred and sixty countries, and although for Germany it has to rely on figures the accuracy of which is not above suspicion, such materials are unique and comprehensive. The generally accepted view is that the beginnings of recovery were visible in the autumn of 1932 and that 1933 saw a pronounced increase of economic activity. Throughout 1934 recovery continued, "although at a somewhat less rapid pace but with some falling off in the middle of the year," and there has at least been no recession in the first six months of the present year. But the "Year-book" warns us that several of the features of this improvement are of an essentially temporary nature; for instance, the stimulus given by the increased Government expenditure on armaments and on public works, which, it pertinently observes, "if continued indefinitely must lead to bankruptcy or war." But to this statement must be added by way of qualification that where public works are of real utility they may lead indirectly to a permanent increase of economic activity.

OTHER FEATURES

Among other features of this phase of recovery is the widespread downward tendency of interest rates. In some cases a policy of "cheap money" was deliberately adopted by Governments, but in many countries (certainly in Great Britain) it was brought about rather by shortage of commercial bills through the slackness of international trade, by the discouragement of foreign lending, and by economies in expenditure on normal State services. In the two big Fascist nations, Germany and Italy, cheap money was lavishly spent to pursue an internal expansionist policy through employment-creating public works and the subsidisation of the armament industries. Elsewhere, outside the gold block countries, there was a good deal of internal expansion—in Great Britain this was especially noticeable in the building industry—and the world index of industrial production rose slightly. In countries where production increased most, the adverse effect of the consequent fall in prices on the export trade was partly offset by simultaneous currency depreciation. The countries which have not depreciated their currencies have hardly increased their production at all and at the same time have had to put up with a reduced share in world trade. Altogether the gold block countries have had a pretty lean time lately and internal and external pressure upon them to devalue and so reduce their costs and increase their foreign trade has grown. But this increased home production in other countries is not of a kind that would find universal favour with economists. In almost every case the increase has been mainly in the investment and not in the consumption industries. Some economists would argue that such progress is lopsided and is bound to be followed sooner or later by a further disastrous fall in prices. On the other hand, since there was great shrinkage in investment during the depression, it is possible that the present tendency is only making up lost ground.

INTERNAL EXPANSION

But if we may congratulate ourselves with some reservations on this internal expansion we have to observe that international trade remains almost stagnant. Taking 1929 as 100, the volume of trade in the first quarter of 1935 was 77, but in the corresponding quarter of 1932 it was 76, so that the improvement is indeed slight. The "Year-book" says:

The reason for the failure of world trade to keep pace with general internal recovery is no doubt to be sought in the numerous, and in some cases increasing, obstacles to interna-

tional trade that have been erected in the form of tariffs, quotas, and restrictions on the supply of foreign exchange. Although some attempts have been made to circumvent these obstacles by compensation agreements, these have often had the effect of deflecting the course rather than of actually increasing the total volume of international trade.

Such trade agreements were in 1934 almost entirely between individual countries—that is, "bilateral" agreements. Since most of them aimed at an approximate arithmetical balancing of the value of trade between the contracting parties (a fetish that the text-book historians of ten years ago said had gone out with the Middle Ages), they have inevitably resulted in the reduction of triangular trade, while where there are so-called "clearing" arrangements "the balance that has been attained has (generally) been at the level of the country which imported less rather than of that which imported more." The spread of import quotas in place of, import duties has also had the effect of undermining the liberalising influence of the "most-favoured-nation" clause in existing treaties and therefore of hindering international trade. The most promising attempts at expansion have been the few agreements concluded among groups of countries, such as the Rome agreement between Italy, Austria, and Hungary. But as it is plain that the limits of internal expansion are now approaching, recovery cannot go much farther without a substantial increase in world trade. The vital steps in this direction are an international currency agreement and a movement to reduce trade barriers. The pundits are now arguing which step can or should be taken first. If intelligence ruled the world they would be taken together.

HARLEY-STREET CURING CRIME

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.

Harley-street is tackling crime as a curable malady, and cures which give signs of permanence are being effected.

Just as medical science searches out the hidden cause of some obvious physical malady, so it is now finding the way to remove those mental disorders which lead to crime.

The Institute for the Scientific Treatment of Delinquency, which has a clinic in Welbeck-street, W. 1, and an office in Grosvenor-street, W. 1, has just issued a report on its work last year.

It shows that 71 new patients were received in 1934, and there were over 1,000 attendances. The majority were from police-courts. Others came from medical practitioners, clinics, philanthropic societies, and friends of delinquents. Eighteen were under 17 years of age.

All the cases were examined physically and mentally, usually by different physicians. Four were discharged as cured before April of last year, and none has relapsed. Nine were discharged as improved.

ALL TYPES OF OFFENCE

Nearly all types of offence were dealt with—embezzlement, false pretences, attempted murder, sex offences, attempted suicide, theft, and violence.

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THE GOOD-NEWS TELEGRAM

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.

The Post Office announced that it will start a special service of "Greetings Telegrams." They will not be sent at a specially cheap rate; in fact, they will incur a special charge of three pence over and above the ordinary tariff. There will, however, be compensating advantages.

In the first place, the Greetings Telegram will be delivered on a special form bordered with a red and gold pattern, which includes doves with letters in their beaks and an octave of music representing a peal of bells. This will be enclosed in a positively dazzling gilt envelope embellished with red and blue. The message itself will consist of words written or typed, not of strips torn from a tape, and it will always be delivered by hand instead of being telephoned.

The intention, of course, is to provide a form of message appropriate to those joyful occasions—weddings, birthdays, success in examinations, and so on—which the Greetings Telegram is intended to celebrate.

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Any number and form of words may be used—paid for, of course, at the usual rates after the first nine words. Directions as to the exact time of delivery may be added to the address, and, like the word "Greetings," will be sent free and will not appear on the telegram as delivered.

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(Through Reuters Agency)

QUOTATIONS

New York: August 20.

	High	Low	Close	Change	Barely
New York/London Cross-rate	4.97 1/2	4.97 1/2	4.97 1/2	1/4 up	steady
New York/Golden Cross-rate	11.47 1/2	11.38	11.39	1/4 up	
New York/Rubber—Sept.	11.84	11.78	11.88	1/4 off	
Chicago Wheat—Sept.	87 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2	1/4 off	
Chicago Corn—Sept.	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	1/4 off	
Montreal Silver—Dec.	65.45	65.45	65.40	1/4 up	
Silver—Official	—	—	65 1/2	—	unchanged

	High	Low	Close	Change
Dow Jones Averages	1834 3/8	1834 3/8	1834 3/8	1.63 off
30 Industrials	129.94	129.94	129.94	1.45 off
20 Rail	32.98	32.98	32.98	1.45 off
20 Utilities	31.02	31.02	31.02	1.17 off
40 Bonds	97.47	97.47	97.47	1.17 off
11 Commodity Index	86.25	86.25	86.25	—

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Stock & Div.	Last Sale	Aug. 17	19	Stock & Div.	Last Sale	Aug. 17	19
Adams Express	9	8 1/2	8 1/2	Gold Dust (1.20)	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Amer. Can (4)	140 1/2	139	139	Goodyear	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Am. Cyanamid "B"	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	Int. Cement	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
(25dr.)	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	Int. Nick (60)	12 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Am. For. Pwr.	9	8 1/2	8 1/2	Int. Tel. & Tel.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Am. For. Pwr. 7 1/2	40 1/2	38	38	Johns-Manville	22	21 1/2	21 1/2
Am. Locomotive	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	Kennecott (150)	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Am. Radiator	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	Loew's (1)	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Am. Smelting	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	Lorill (1.20)	72 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Am. T. and T. (9)	140 1/2	140	140	Mont. Ward	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Am. Tob "B" (5)	100	100 1/2	100 1/2	Nat. City Bk. (1)	33 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Am. Waterworks (1)	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	Nat. Da. P. (1.20)	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Am. Waterworks 3/8	80 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	Nat. Distillers	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Am. Waterworks 3/8	80 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	Nat. Pwr. Lt. (30)	14	12 1/2	12 1/2
Anaconda Copper	18	18 1/2	18 1/2	N.Y. Central	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Atch. T. and S. F.	53 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	N. Amer. (50c 4 1/2)	24	22 1/2	22 1/2
(25dr.)	53 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	Pac. Gas (1.50)	28	27	27
Auburn Automobile	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	Pac. Lng. (3)	44 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	17 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	Packard Motors	5	4 1/2	4 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	Penn. Ry. (1)	25 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Boeing Airplane	10 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	Phil. Petro (1)	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Borden Co. (1.60)	47 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	Pub. Ser. N.J. (2.80)	44 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Borg Warner (1dr.)	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	Pub. Corp.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Case	11 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	Rey. Tob "B" (3)	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Canadian Pacific	11 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	Schenley	34 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Caterpillar Tract	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	Sears Roebuck	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
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Ohio (2.80)	46 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	Stan. Brands (1)	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Chrysler (1d)	61	58 1/2	58 1/2	Stan. Gas	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Col. Gas & Elec.	13 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	Sta. Oil N.J. (1)	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Comm. Solv. (60)	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	Stk. Pro. (2.80)	47	46 1/2	46 1/2
Comm. Steln. 3/8	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	Studebaker Corp.	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Comm. Steln. 3/8	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	Texas G. Sulp (2)	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
cum. Ft. (6)	62 1/2	60	60	Transamerica (1.12)	8	7 1/2	7 1/2
Cons. Gas. N.Y. (2)	33 1/2	32	32	Un. Car. and Carb	65	63 1/2	63 1/2
Cons. Oil (23)	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	Un. Pac. Rlys. (5)	103 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Cont. Oil (25)	22	21 1/2	21 1/2	Un. Aircraft Corp.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Corn Prod (3)	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	Un. Air Line Trans.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	United Corp.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Du Pont (240c)	112 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2	Unl. Gas Impr. (1.20)	18 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	20	17 1/2	17 1/2	Univ. Leaf Tob. (2)	62 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Elec. Bond 5 1/2 (5)	78	73 1/2	73 1/2	U.S. Indus. Alcohol	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Elec. Bond 3 1/2 (6)	78	73 1/2	73 1/2	U.S. Rubber	14 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Fox Film "A"	16	15 1/2	15 1/2	U.S. Steel	44 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Gen. Elec. (60)	32 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	Vanadium	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Gen. Foods (1.80)	35	34 1/2	34 1/2	Warner Bros. Picts.	54	54	54
Gen. Motors (1d)	43	42 1/2	42 1/2	West E. & M. (65)	66	64	64
Gen. Rly. Sigs (1)	33 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	Cah Money	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2

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BRITISH EFFORTS

Paris, Aug. 12.
Britain will leave nothing untold in order to prevent Italy from waging war on Abyssinia, asserts the London correspondent of "Echo de Paris", commenting on the British attitude in the Italo-Abyssinian conflict.

Following the City's refusal to grant a loan to Italy, Great Britain has already taken steps in Washington as well as Paris to prevent American or French bankers also from granting any credits to Italy.

The correspondent adds that Great Britain is even firmly determined to demand the closure of the Suez Canal in the event of an Italo-Abyssinian war and points to the agreement recently concluded between the Abyssinian Government and a Swiss company, which provides for the construction of a great new road, linking Addis Ababa with the Sudan. The writer stresses the markedly strategic character of the new connection, which would allow Abyssinia to receive supplies and ammunitions via British Sudan and would also permit a quick occupation of the Tsana lake district by British troops. If the Italian advance in this district should prove to be too rapid.

Writing in "Figaro", Vladimir Dornesoon asserts that Great Britain would never permit any other country to approach the springs of the Nile, particularly those of the Blue Nile, too closely or to establish itself on the route to India. The British Government can hardly be accused of hiding its intentions, for the British attitude is clear and unmistakable, states Dornesoon, pointing out that the present British policy is also due to the principle that

ACTOR-KNIGHT'S DILEMMA

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.
Sir Cedric Hardwicke, the famous actor, has just had the experience of being suspected of stealing his own property.

It happened in this way. A few days ago, to celebrate the 100th performance of "Tovarich" in which he is appearing at the Lyric Theatre, an admirer, who has seen the piece several times, presented him with a handsome silver loving cup, which must have cost quite a large sum.

Sir Cedric at first thought of placing the cup in the foyer, and was about to do so when he was advised that it would be safer to take it home for the night.

So, without troubling to wrap it up, he carried the cup into his car and set off for his home in Regent's Park.

When he was about to get out, a policeman came and wanted to know what he was doing with that cup at that time of night!

"My sensations were extraordinary," says Sir Cedric. "For the first time in my life I felt really guilty in the presence of a policeman. As the officer gazed sternly at me a feeling of shame and fear came all over me."

"I had to pull myself together quickly or I really should have appeared to be a thief."

"I made my explanation, supplied proofs of identity, and the incident was over."

"But what must a real crook feel like when he is copped?"

CHINA'S FOREIGN TRADE

World's Benefit

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Shanghai, Aug. 16.
"If China would tackle the problem of advancing its foreign commerce, it must begin with setting its domestic trade house in order. In other words, foreign trade begins with domestic trade and will not flourish while domestic trade is in an unhealthy condition."

This was the conclusion stated by Mr. Ju'ean Arnold, United States Commercial Attache, at the close of an illuminating address delivered yesterday at the weekly tiffin meeting of the Shanghai Rotary Club on the subject of "The Advancement of China's Foreign Trade."

Outlining China's economic and historical background, Mr. Arnold said that a factor of importance in China's backwardness as a trading nation was the lowly position assigned to the merchant in the social scheme that formerly prevailed. It was also pointed out that for years China's goods were without competition in the markets of the outside world, but that gradually the secrets of the unique products were acquired by other peoples, so that by the end of the 19th century China was not supreme as a source of supply for a number of commodities which for centuries were not to be found elsewhere.

As an example Mr. Arnold turned to the comparatively recent demand for tung oil in the United States by manufacturers of paints and varnishes. For a time, manufacturers in America were content to depend upon China as a source of supply of tung oil, but when a shortage of supply came and consequently prices were boosted up beyond all reasonable expectations they balked. This, combined with other irregularities, forced them to consider the possibility of growing the tung tree and producing tung oil in the United States. The American Tung Oil Corporation sprang into being and over a thousand acres of land in Florida were planted with tung trees.

MUST DEVELOP DOMESTIC TRADE

"In reality," Mr. Arnold states, "China must turn to the development of her domestic trade before she can expect much of her foreign trade. If China hopes to prosper from the tung oil trade, the speaker said, she must make herself the premier nation in the scientific application of tung oil to the industries and the arts. A successful foreign commerce means little more than ocean expansion or a properly functioning domestic trade. In the instance of wood-oil, China need not be discouraged by the fact that America has started growing the trees in its own country, for no sooner had America embarked upon the development of the tung oil industry than it began to discover other uses for the oil."

China United Press (By Mail)

FOUNDING WAS AN INSPIRATION

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 29.
It was a happy inspiration that led to the founding of the Empire Parliamentary Association, said Lord Provost Sir William Thomson when he welcomed Overseas Legislators of the Empire members of the association, at luncheon in the City Chambers, Edinburgh, yesterday.

The work it had accomplished in promoting a sympathy and understanding and a sense of mutual responsibility between the various units of the British Commonwealth of Nations and the Mother Country was of the greatest possible value.

While in Scotland they would have a brief glimpse of the land which bred not a few of the fine pioneer stock from which their splendid nations had sprung, and he hoped when they returned home it would be with pleasant memories of a land which was bound to every part of the Empire by ties of blood, kinship and loyal affection.

TRADE SKILLS
The Hon. Mr. J. C. Butter, M.P., Premier of South Australia, who responded said they would have their little differences, no doubt, with regard to trade, but trade was competitive; trade was selfish.

The Harder Job
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AUGUST 21, 1935

COMMENCING AT 11 A.M.

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35 Bundles Iron Bands
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1 Bitumaster Solution
5 Bales Newspapers
1 Bag Sulphate of Ammonia
1 Bag Tin Discs

also
A Quantity of Household Furniture, Round Iron Bars, and sundry Articles, etc., etc.

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Comprising—

Chesterfield Suits, 1ed Room and Dining Room Furniture, Carpets & Rugs, Glass & Porcelain Ware, Gramophone and Records, Clocks, Ornaments, Joe Chest, Linen, Aluminium Wear, Crockery, etc., etc.

also

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One Radio Set and Loud Speaker
One Radio Set with Gramophone & Pick-up in Cabinet
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THE FUTURE OF
COLOUR FILMS

The successful exhibition of "Becky Sharp" in London has had the anticipated effect, and heightened the interest of British film producers in the new colour process to such an extent that the announcement of the formation of a British Technicolor company is hourly expected, with laboratories near London, working in association with Alexander Korda and London Films, writes a correspondent.

For the past week daily conference have been held between Korda and his associate company, Gerrard Industries, and Dr. and Mrs. Kalmus, representing American Technicolor. Dr. Kalmus has been investigating the studio plant both at Isleworth, where Korda's company is temporarily located, and at Denham, where the new studios are to be opened shortly, and, I understand that the deal actually went through late in the week.

The situation becomes more interesting in view of the fact that Korda, through Gerrard Industries, already has a colour system of his own, known as "Hillman Colourgraving," which at one time he intended to use as the vehicle for "Lawrence of Arabia." He now comes out with the frank statement that he will abandon the Hillman process as such, although certain of its principles may be incorporated in the new patents pool and used in conjunction with Technicolor.

"PERFECT SYSTEM"

"A man knows when he is beaten," he admits, in speaking of his use of the Hillman system. With regard to Technicolor, he considers that "the system is now practically perfect." It was intended at first, I understand, to use "Cyrano de Bergerac" as the first picture for the new medium, but now the film named for its probable debut is "Elizabeth of England."

The new British Technicolor company is likely to be controlled by a board of six directors, three representing the interests of American Technicolor, and three from the London Films-Gerrard Industries side. It is hoped to build a laboratory, or convert an existing plant, on a scale to employ over 200 people, chemists, dye experts, cameramen, phototechnicians of every kind.

the most efficient and knowledgeable women connected with the film industry in any capacity to-day.

There isn't a trick of the trade that Mrs. Kalmus doesn't know, and colour photography, she tells me, is full of tricks.

COLOUR THAT "KILL"

"You have to learn how one range of colours will kill another," she says; "I don't mean kill in the artistic sense, but literally destroy them. You can't, for instance, use the strong hard colours along with the pastel shades. The colour in the Waterloo sequence of 'Becky Sharp' had all to be keyed up to the scarlet of the officers' uniforms. I had to use strong greens, and blues, and reds, whereas in the drawing-room scenes I could keep my palette down to the softer shades—mauve, and apricot, and dove-grey."

"A bright red can kill a pastel tint, if they are used too close together. Sometimes I've done it deliberately for a purpose. I'll give you a case in point. There was a picture we once made for Metro-Goldwyn that had a swan ballet, girls in swan costumes dancing around a pool. Well, in Technicolor, as you know, we don't use dead white to get a white effect, but egg-shell or flesh pink. I was very busy at the time, with two other pictures on my hands, and I left the costumes for the swan sequence to my young assistant, who hadn't been with us long. I suggested he used pink and he did use pink, but when I came to look at it he'd used the wrong pink, and those swans came out a lovely shade of apple blossom. Well, there was only one thing to be done, and I did it. I put a border of red roses round the pool and killed the pink."

DOZENS OF TRICKS

There are dozens of tricks of that kind that have to be learnt by anybody who wants to work in Technicolor," she went on. "It's less a study of art than a study of optics, and I'd always prefer to take a pupil without any of the preconceived art-school ideas of colour and form. As colour photography develops, too, the tricks of the trade are constantly changing."

The new Technicolor, used for the first time a year ago by Walt

VICTOR MC-
LAGLENTo Play Great
Dramatic Role

When you see—as you will if you're wise—RKO Radio's film version of Liam O'Flaherty's mighty novel, "The Informer," you will see a first-rate actor performing the greatest role he has yet played.

That the spian is big Victor McLaglen, cursed too long with blistering comedy roles of the "sez you" school. Motion picture fans, therefore, often forget what a really swell actor Man-Mountain McLaglen really is—until one of his big performances fairly blazes out at them.

Such an occasion came last season, when he appeared as the di-hard British sergeant in that epic of desert gallantry, "The Lost Patrol," made by RKO Radio. Now comes an even greater, his screen creation of Gypo Nolan, a hulking brute who betrays his friend for a fee, and is relentlessly hounded by his own bitter destiny.

This grim but thrilling story of one foggy Dublin night was filmed by John Ford, who made "The Lost Patrol," and Big Vic jumped at the chance to play Gypo. Ford and McLaglen understand and trust each other. Together, with the help of a remarkable cast, they have turned out one of the year's most notable dramas.

COLOURFUL LIFE

No man in Hollywood has led a stranger or more colourful life than Vic McLaglen. The son of a bishop of the Church of England, he grew up a wanderer in all the world's far places.

He ran away from home and enlisted in the British Army. He became a prize fighter and fought a no-decision fight with champion Jack Johnson. He traveled with medicine shows, acted in vaudeville and played in motion pictures here and abroad.

A captain in the British army, he served with the expeditionary forces in Mesopotamia, and ended the war as Provost-Marshal of the holy Arabian city of Baghdad.

The fullness of time found him in Hollywood—and suddenly, in "The Cock-Eyed World," he became world famous. The team of McLaglen and Edmund Lowe became popular wherever movies are shown—and while the rough and ready, hard-boiled partnership brought him fame and filled his pockets, it hid too long his ability as a creator of powerful dramatic screen roles.

From this deadly routine "The Lost Patrol" rescued him last season, and his work in it is still talked about by true film devotees. After another 12-months in mediocre movies, again McLaglen breaks out in a thunderous role perfectly suited to his type and talents.

Vic McLaglen was a great and comical marine sergeant in his teaming days, surely—but his "Lost Patrol" sergeant, and his mighty Gypo Nolan in "The Informer" will be remembered by the faithful when "The Cock-Eyed World" and its endless carbon copies are long forgotten.

COLMAN AGAIN

For the second time in his film career, Ronald Colman must part with his famous moustache.

Colman appeared without a moustache in "Clive of India."

For two weeks he has been baring the upper lip to the desert sun, coddling, coaxing, and cultivating another moustache.

It had reached the apex and maturity of its former splendor when a telephonic thunderbolt from Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios sounded the death warrant of the new moustache.

And now he must sacrifice it again for this new role as Sydney Carton in "A Tale of Two Cities."

Bowing to the dictates of accuracy, Producer David O. Selznick and Director Jack Conway have sent condolences to Colman with a compromise—permitting him to wear a wig.

Which proves my success does not depend upon the appearance of my upper lip, or, the way I comb my hair," sighed Colman.

TO-DAY'S RADIO
PROGRAMMEBroadcast by Z.B.W.
on 355 Metres

12.30 to 2.15 p.m.—European programme.

12.30 p.m.—Recorded music.

1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

1.15 p.m.—Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.

1.45 p.m.—Close down.

2 to 7 p.m.—Chinese programme.

6 to 8.15 p.m.—Children's Studio Concert.

7 to 7.7 p.m.—European programme.

7 to 7.17 p.m.—Vocal Gems.

Ruddigore (Gilbert and Sullivan).

Flourora (Stuart).

7.17 to 7.30 p.m.—

A Pianoforte Recital by Benno Moisevitich.

1. Grillen (Schumann).

2. Polonaise in B Flat Major (Chopin, Op. 71, No. 2).

3. Isolde's Liebestod (Liszt).

7.30 to 8 p.m.—

From the Studio

"The Revellers"

Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra

Playing a programme of

Fox Musical Hits from Talkies

coming to the King's Theatre

shorly.

1. It's an old Southern Custom—

Fox-Trot.

From the Fox Picture "George

White's 1935 Scandals."

2. According to the Moonlight—

Fox-Trot.

From the Fox Picture "George

White's 1935 Scandals."

3. Oh, I Didn't Know—Fox-Trot.

From the Fox Picture "George

White's 1935 Scandals."

4. Hunkadoola—Fox-Trot.

From the Fox Picture "George

White's 1935 Scandals."

5. Five Little Reasons for

Happiness—Fox-Trot.

From the Fox Educational

Cartoon "Five Puplets."

6. Our Little Girl—Waltz.

From the Fox Picture "Our

Little Girl" featuring Shirley

Temple.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather

report.

8.05 to 8.10 p.m.—Banjo Solos by

Ken Harvel.

8.10 to 8.20 p.m.—

From the Studio

"What do you talk about?" by

Garrulous.

8.20 to 8.47 p.m.—

De Groot and his Orchestra

1. Indian Love Call—"Rose

Marie"—Primi.

2. Untill—Sanderson.

3. Ay, Ay, Ay—Perez.

4. Stanchen—Strauss.

5. When the Great Red Dawn is

Shining—Sharpe.

6. Zinetta—Geehi.

7. Vienna Blood—Waltz—Strauss.

8. Blue Danube—Waltz—Strauss.

8.47 to 9 p.m.—

Four Songs by Lucienne Boyer

(Soprano).

1. Dans Tol—Tango Chante

(Scotto).

2. Si Petite (Claret).

3. Dans la Fumee (Visions in

Smoke)—Bos.

4. Parlez-Moi D'Amour (Speak

to me of Love) (Lenoir).

5 to 9.15 p.m.—A Relay of the

Davenport News Bulletin (Copy-

right by Reuter).

9.15 to 10 p.m.—

From the Studio

A Variety Concert by

Doreen Ma, Ray Remedios, A. W.

Whitehead, The Rhythm Boys,

and Ted Castro.

11 p.m.—Close down.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

9 p.m.—DJQ, DJB Announcement

(Germ. Engl.).

German Folk Song.

Programme Forecast (Germ.

Engl.).

9.15 p.m.—Woman's Programme.

Recital by the Elisabeth Kuyper

Women's Choir.

"Folk Songs of All Nations."

6.30 p.m.—The New German

Policy in Art, Power, State,

and Culture.

9.45 p.m.—News in English on DJQ

and in Dutch on DJB.

10 p.m.—"Königskinder" by En-

gelbert Humperdinck. Selections

from the Opera Conductor

Werner Richter-Reich-

helm.

11.15 p.m.—News in German on

DJQ and DJB.

11.30 p.m.—Current Events.

11.45 p.m.—"A Little Wreath of

Roses."

Radio Sequence by Johanna An-

germann.

12 midnight—Folk Instrumental

Soloists.

12.15 a.m.—News in English on

DJQ and in Dutch on DJB.

12.30 a.m.—Close down, DJQ, DJB

(Germ. Engl.).

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IN "EASY-ACCESS" INNER
FOIL PACKETS, ALSO
IN "TRU-VAC" "50" TINS

When we seal the "TRU-VAC"
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FRESHNESS OF CRAVEN "A"
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CINEMA TRADE NOTICES

THE MAYOR OF HELL

Motion pictures are doing a great deal when they faithfully mirror life, but sometimes they phenomenon of picturing future events happens with almost payable preciseness.

A most unusual case to light in connection with James Cagney latest picture for Warner Brothers, "The Mayor of Hell" showing at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday. The entire background of the story is a boys' reform school, with an exposition of conditions so corrupts and practices so cruel that the picture may well be classified as the junior successor to "I'm A Fugitive From A Chain Gang."

Madge Evans has the leading feminine role in "The Mayor of Hell." Others in the cast include Allen Jenkins, Dudley Digges, Arthur Bryon, Sheila Terry and Frankis Darro.

ONE NEW YORK NIGHT

Those who get a kick out of excitement in their film entertainment will find plenty of it in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer mystery-comedy, "One New York Night" starting to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre.

With Franchot Tone playing the role of a Wyoming rancher who comes to New York to find a wife and is precipitated into a murder mystery which happens in the hotel room adjoining his own, the story progresses from one reel to the other with uninterrupted action building up to a smash climax and final denouement.

Conrad Nagel is the "bad man" of the plot, and with Una Merkel as the telephone operator, audiences can be assured that there are plenty of laughs switched in between suspense and excitement.

TRANSIENT LADY

Three of the most brilliant writers of the day are responsible for Universal's newest film, "Transient Lady," which is coming to the King's Theatre on Thursday, with a cast headed by Gene Raymond, Henry Hull, Frances Drake and June Clayworth.

The original story was written by Octavus Roy Cohen, and ran serially in Liberty magazine. It is a glittering example of the mastery of the art of the day people, because they represent the vast majority of the public. So he laid his story in a little southern town and made his principals three skating rink promoters, a young lawyer and a small-town crooked politician.

Two masters of the art of screenplay writing were given the job of transforming "Transient Lady" to the screen. They are Arthur Caesar and Harvey Thew. Caesar is a graduate of Yale University, and gained fame as a playwright, writing "Napoleon's Barber," "Maker of Men" and "Out of Seven Seas." He has written scores of screenplays since going to Hollywood in 1930.

Harvey Thew is a graduate of the University of Minnesota, who started his career as a newspaper reporter. Before he entered the picture field he wrote a book, "Crust of the Work," a stage play, "Young America," and two musical comedies, "Playing Around" and "Julius Sees Her." He started his picture writing back in 1915, and for years has been one of the real outstanding scenarists of Hollywood.

Incidentally, this is one picture where Una gets "her man" in the end.

MILK & HONEY

ON THE STAGE TO-DAY at 6 and 9.30 P.M. only.
PROF. WILLIAM DOORLAY'S

TROPICAL EXPRESS NON-STOP REVUE

A NEW QUICK-FIRE PROGRAMME
NEW ACTS! NEW SONGS! NEW DANCES!

TO-MORROW 12.30 to 5 P.M. CONTINUOUSLY
Gene RAYMOND - Henry HULL - Frances DRAKE
IN "TRANSIENT LADY"

A UNIVERSAL PICTURE



Merle Oberon and Leslie Howard in "The Scarlet Pimpernel," a London Film, released through United Artists.

QUEEN'S THEATRE

TO-DAY ONLY at 2.30, 5.10, 7.20 & 9.30

PITY ME—I had the most precious thing in life—and threw it away!

ANN CARVER'S PROFESSION

WILLIAM POWELL

In 'Star Of Midnight'

William Powell, still immaculate in tails and white tie, still the last word in screen nonchalance, is running to earth another black hearted killer with the lift of an eye-lid, the flip of a cigarette and a tall glass of Scotch and Soda.

Powell, called "suave" by elders and "smooth" by youngsters, has completely lost track of the murders he has outwitted since he became Philo Vance years ago. They must run into dozens. His quarry is captured in the course of "Star of Midnight," the new sophisticated mystery drama in which RKO Radio, through sheer inspiration, has teamed him with delightful Ginger Rogers, who can dance with Fred Astaire and act with the best of them.

Bill Powell has been one of the great figures of films for years—and perhaps you don't remember that he began as the trackee and not the tracker. He was a villain of the deepest dye in pictures for some years—until he became Philo Vance, the Sherlock Holmes of the Nineteen Twenties.

WAVE OF SUCCESS

He has mostly ups in his career, and almost no downs. "The Thin Man," last season, set him on a new wave of success, and the nonchalant one can hardly fill all his film commitments. In fact, parts are being hurled at his head so constantly that during work on "Star of Midnight" at RKO Radio he announced that from now on he would make only four pictures a year. That he couldn't do justice to more than four good roles, a season—and that probably we'd all get tired of him if he did more.

FINEST TRADITION

Powell's role in the new "Star of Midnight" is in his very finest tradition. He is seen as Clay Dalzell, a lawyer who is lured into mystery-solving by a friend who loves the missing girl. His wardrobe is superb, and so is his apartment, and he plays the role with all the old Powell charm and acuteness.

What few Powell fans know is that his long succession of amateur sleuth roles led him into a general interest in detecting and criminology. Bill figured

THE PROFESSOR'S DREAM

Professor Max Reinhardt, dean of the theatre and the great producer whom all the leading players boast of having studied under, has fallen for films—hook, line and sinker. Hollywood had been making tempting offers to him long before he eventually agreed to make "A Midsummer Night's Dream" for Warners. He fought a little shy of the new-fangled invention, but now that he has tested it he cannot find sufficient superlatives to express his delight and admiration.

"The screen is the art form of the Twentieth Century," he said, "with it, we can bring everything to life again—Shakespeare. Shaw—all the great poets and dramatists will have a new meaning when they are filmed. All my life I have been trying to find theatres which are small enough to allow the slightest gesture and inflection to be seen and understood by the audience. In Berlin, my favourite theatre held no more than three hundred people. Yet even there it was impossible for the wondrous audience to see those tiny gestures which the close-up makes so plain."

The intimacy of the cinema makes possible a new style of acting. The actor can express subtleties of meaning impossible on the stage. But we must have a new style of actor, too. I have

chosen young actors men who have grown up and gained their experience in front of the camera rather than behind the footlights. People were surprised that I had chosen Cagney to play Bottom. But Cagney of an actor like him, was the only possible choice. The old grandiose actors of the theatre merely succeeded in making Shakespeare dull.

POET OF ALL TIME

Shakespeare as they played his works, was not in keeping with the spirit of the times. Yet, Shakespeare is a poet of all time, of to-day as much as of the Sixteenth Century. I was not able to see George Robey in "Henry IV," but I heartily applauded the idea of using him in the play.

If Shakespeare is played on the screen by modern actors, with modern mannerisms, he will be as fresh and enjoyable in 1935 as he was over three hundred years ago. A Great deal depends on the success of "A Midsummer Night's Dream." I am sure it will please the critics—I hope it will earn plenty of money.

If it does, "Shakespeare will come into films with a bang. M.G.M. are planning "Romeo and Juliet" Radio are considering "Twelfth Night" Warners may make "Hamlet" with Leslie Howard in the lead (and I may have a hand in that too), and Charles Laughton whom I consider the greatest actor on the screen, has told me that the aim of his life is to play Lear.



Professor Doorlay's Tropical Express Non-Stop Revue, a company of 45 artists which given its opening performance at the King's Theatre to-day at 6 P.M. and 9.30 P.M.

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S—
"Tropical Express Non-Stop Revue"

QUEEN'S—
"Ann Carver's Profession"

ORIENTAL—
"Silk Express"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA—
"Pursued"

MAJESTIC—
"Count of Monte Cristo"

Coming

KING'S—
"Transient Lady"

QUEEN'S—
"One New York Night"

MAJESTIC—
"Red Morning"

ALHAMBRA—
"Black Sheep"

ADRIAN DESIGNS GOWN

For Comedian

Adrian has designed gowns for all the glamorous women of the screen, but recently he designed a gown for a man!

It happened this way. Sid Silvers has been cast to play a role with Jack Benny in the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer musical, Broadway Melody Of 1936. His part calls for him to impersonate a French girl, "Arllette," in one of the comedy sequences. "Arllette," portrayed by Eleanor Powell, wears an Adrian-designed gown, so Silvers had to be fitted for the same type of dress!

Production is now under way on the John W. Gonsidine, Jr. musical being directed by Roy Del Ruth. Others in the cast are June Knight, Una Merkel, Robert Taylor, Frances Langford, Vilma and Buddy Ebsen, Nick Long, Jr., Harry Stockwell, Shirley Ross, Jeni LeGon, and Robert Wildhack.

The dances are being directed by Dave Gould, creator of the "Continental" and "Cavloca." Nacio Herb Brown and Arthur Freed wrote the songs. Silvers collaborated with Jack McGowan on the screen play taken from a story by Moss Hart. Harry W. Conn has written additional dialogue.

that if he was going to make a career of such parts he had better know what it was all about. He therefore made friends with Los Angeles police heads, district attorneys and criminal lawyers, and has spent a lot of time visiting trials ranging from first-degree murder cases to night court sessions.

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Edward Buzzell, the director, believes this story is one of the most significant yet written for the screen in that it deals with problems faced by all professional women. Fay Wray plays Ann Carver and Gene Raymond her husband, Claire Dodd. Claude Gillingwater, Jessie Ralph and Arthur Pierson are also cast in important roles.

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Yesterday afternoon, at the Hong Kong Hotel, a "Daily Press" representative was accorded an interview with Mr. Egun Loarch, stage manager of the company, who gave some very interesting information regarding their tour since leaving Amsterdam a year ago.

The "Tropical Express" (as the company is at present known) formerly played in Europe as "The Brazilian Revue" under the management of Professor Doorlay enjoyed considerable success wherever they went. They head office of the company is situated in Amsterdam.

ITS FORMATION
The present company was formed in Amsterdam, when it was

decided that the Near East, India, the Dutch East Indies and the Far East should be toured and as a consequence the company which was formed from the talent available in their studios situated in Paris were assembled. They left Amsterdam direct for Italy and thence to the ports of call on their way to the East.

The most spectacular performance that they have to offer is entitled "A Trip Around The World in 8 Minutes" in which twelve nations are represented in their respective National dances.

In all 70 acts will be presented, most of which are of a minute to a minute and a half duration. The company has not missed its share of misfortune for on arrival at Calcutta the temperature there registered 120 degrees. Four of the girls collapsed five minutes before the curtain was due to rise, yet the show went on.

Mr. Loarch said that he was not quite sure whether they would proceed to South Africa after touring Japan, or go to Australia, but it was most likely that they would include the former country as the climatic conditions in Australia would probably be unsuitable.

So Can Mother

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Around the Courts

MONEY BY FALSE PRETENCES

Charged before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday with obtaining \$20.50 from Ko Tak by falsely pretending that he was employed as a boy by the Interpreter in the Hawkers' Office at Police Headquarters, You Kow a 21-year-old youth was sentenced to one month's hard labour.

Detective Sgt. Cashman prosecuted. The complainant in the witness box said that he was employed by a woman to carry her congee for her. This woman had a licence for hawking.

On the day in question he was attending to the stall when the defendant came up and after drinking one cent worth of congee inquired of him whether he had a licence or not. On being informed that he was only a carrier defendant said that he could easily obtain a licence which would then allow the complainant to sell his goods freely without hindrance. This licence the defendant said would cost \$20. Complainant being given to understand that \$15 was for costs and \$5 for gratuities to the interpreter.

On the same night defendant went to the house and there obtained 50 cents for which he said was to defray the cost of an application to be made out in English.

The next night defendant saw the complainant again and asked for the money. Complainant not having it himself tried unsuccessfully to raise it from several friends. In the end \$10 was obtained which was handed over to the defendant. Another \$10 was handed over the very next night.

DISAPPOINTED

After the last payment defendant promised to call at complainant's house at 2 p.m. but did not show up at all the whole day.

Four days later complainant saw the defendant in Hollywood Road and asked defendant about the money. Defendant denied all knowledge of the money and was eventually taken up to the station by the complainant himself.

Corroborative evidence was given by three other witnesses also an interpreter from the Hawkers Office.

Defendant denied receiving the money at all nor did he promised the complainant that he would help him to obtain a special licence.

Disbelieving the story which the defendant told the court Mr. Macfadyen sentenced the defendant as stated above.

WRONG SUMMONS

Summoned before Mr. E. F. Wynne-Jones yesterday for having kept a white and brown dog on August 7 without a licence. Mrs. E. Fant, of No. 36 Hankow Road first floor pleaded not guilty and was discharged.

Inspector Stimson who prosecuted stated that it had since transpired that the dog did not belong to Mrs. Fant but to Mrs. Maxwell who had gone away and had left the dog in her care which was however licensed.

On the day in question, an Indian constable followed an amah and the dog to defendant's flat and asked for the name of the owner. He was not satisfied with what passed between him and defendant, so he went back to the Water Police Station. Inspector Stimson then went to the address and saw Mrs. Fant, and, owing to her attitude, he left and took out the summons.

Pleading guilty Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday to the theft of two rolls of black crepe from the Fancy Silk Bazaar, 42 Queen's Road Central, Fung Wah, 26, unemployed, was sentenced to one month's hard labour, and Kwong Fu, 30, to six weeks' hard labour. Kwong Fu had previous convictions and was also placed under police surveillance for two years. Detective Sergeant Fowle prosecuted.

Leung Mui, 24, unemployed, was sentenced to six months' hard labour by Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of returning before his banishment period of ten years had expired. Defendant, who was absent for only one month, stated he returned as he had "some trifling matters" to settle here. Acting Sub-Inspector Smith prosecuted.

REVENGE ALLEGED

Pleading guilty to assaulting Tsui Man, 30, ticket collector at Peihe Street, near Yee Kuk Street on Monday, two fruit stall holders on Wang, Yu, 35 and Lo Kan, 25 were each fined \$25 or, in default, one month's hard labour by Mr. E. F. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

Inspector Ellis stated that the incident was the result of previous trouble. Complainant was a ticket collector of the Yau Ma Tei Ferry Company and had sometime ago arrested first defendant for travelling on a ferry without paying his fare. The men were seen struggling by an Indian constable who went up to intervene.

On the arrival of the constable, first defendant accused complainant of having snatched his watch, but when he was taken to the police station he admitted that there was no truth in the story, and further admitted that there had been previous trouble.

"I came back because I wanted to see my wife," said Kwok Wing, 25, co-accused, when he appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday charged with returning from banishment. Defendant alleged that when he was banished on March 27 last year for 10 years, so he came back to force her to go with him. Defendant admitted two previous convictions for larceny and was sentenced to 10 months' hard labour.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

Charged with disorderly conduct before Mr. W. Schofield yesterday, Li Cheung Po and Wong Ping Cheung both unemployed were each fined \$5 and bound over in personal bonds of \$50 each to keep the peace for one year.

Detective Sergeant Fitches said that about 9 p.m. on Monday, he saw the two defendants struggling outside the door of the Police Recreation Club. The second defendant was bleeding from the nose, and the first defendant had his shirt torn. They had started fighting across the road, and finished up outside the Police Club. The second defendant alleged that the first defendant had swindled him of \$250.

Li Hung, unemployed, charged before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy yesterday, with stealing a fountain pen from Chau Hing, unemployed, at Queen's Road West, near Sutherland Street and also with having returned from banishment, was sentenced to three months' hard labour on the first charge and six months on the second, the sentences to run consecutively. Defendant was banished for a period of ten years in August, 1926.

Unemployed for the past three months, Cecil Mustamu, 22, a native of Rhio, Sumatra, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday, charged with being in the Colony apparently destitute. Det. Sergeant F. E. Russell stated that the man came here three months ago. He gave himself up to the police as a destitute. Arrangements were being made for his repatriation.

Tolok Singh, police private watchman No. 529, pleaded not guilty before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court yesterday when he was charged with the theft of a handbag, containing \$8.60, the property of Miss Tam Wai-chit, a student of the Hong Kong University, in Kennedy Road. Detective-Sergeant Fowle, for the prosecution, applied for 48 hours' remand in custody for further enquiries, and this was granted. Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the defence.

TIME AND TIDE

When the Queen Mary comes into service she will have no board 569 clocks, the largest marine clock installation in the world, say the July issue of "The Horological Journal."

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DEATH INQUIRY

Recommendations Made By Jury

The inquest into the death of Cheung Yau, a 19-year-old stone-breaker, who died at the Kowloon Hospital on July 20 a victim of rabies was continued before Mr. E. F. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

After careful consideration and retiring for 45 minutes the jury empanelled returned the following verdict.

We find one Cheung Yau died from rabies.

We suggest the possibility of improving the organisation of the treatment of rabies locally by:

(a) graduation of doses according to the gravity of the infection and (b) closer checking kept of the records of individual cases.

The jury were as follows:—

Messrs. Archibald Walter Hopes (foreman), Samuel Gray and Carlos Arnulphy.

Inspector Welan kept watchings brief on behalf of the Police.

RESERVIST COMPLIMENTED

During yesterday's hearing, So Man Sang, a Police Reservist was heartily thanked by the Coroner on the fine way he acted towards the dog. It was revealed that three persons including deceased, and probably two more were bitten by the rabid dog.

Before So left the box, Mr. Wynne-Jones said to him: "We ought to thank you, Mr. So, for doing this. Thank you very much. I think you are a rather good shot."

So Man Sang's evidence was that he was employed in the Lai Tong Garage at Nathan Road and lived there. On the morning of June 16 last at about 9 o'clock, he saw an old man being bitten by a dog. The victim was Leung, Tai, who told witness his name. Witness then went back to the shop where he got a gun. Then he chased the dog in the Sai Yee Street and shot at it once from 40 yards' range. The dog was dragged to the Mongkok Police Station. Witness did not know that this particular dog had bitten a small dog or not.

The Coroner "Is there anything peculiar about the dog?" to which witness replied that it did not bark when it bit and saliva was coming out from the mouth. Around the mouth was foam. Its eyes were red. Witness thought the dog was dark brown.

RABIES CASES

At the outset of yesterday's sitting Dr. A. V. Greaves read out a list of the number of rabies cases treated during the past ten years, from 1925 to August 20, 1935.

He also produced statistics of rabid dogs from 1925 to 1935.

Lum Mok Lun, of the Kowloon Hospital gave evidence to the effect that he gave altogether 34 injections to deceased, and to Mo Tai, another victim of the same dog. Tsang Cheung, who was also bitten by the rabid dog also received treatment.

Leung Tung, son of Leung Tai, 72 years of age, believed to have died from rabies up country said that his father went for treatment for only a week. He went back to his country and I was generally accepted that he had died from dog bite.

After further evidence was heard, the jury returned the verdict as mentioned.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

\$155,712 Asked For

Sums totalling \$155,712 will come up for appropriation at the next meeting of the Finance Committee of Legislative Council.

There are two items for \$50,000. One being for Charitable Services in relation to the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals and the other for Public Works Extraordinary re the Kowloon Buildings for the Magistracy at Yau Ma Tei.

Another item for \$50,217 is for the Kowloon Canton Railway. This is in the nature of special expenditure for two additional second-class coaches.

Other items are \$3,000 rewards for the Police Force, \$1,950 for the Volunteer Defence Corps, \$385 for the Botanical and Forestry Department and \$180 being expenses for conveyance and motor allowances for the Supreme Court.

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According to Crompton, Mr. R. C. Macnamara, who was instructed by Mr. O. E. C. Marton, of Messrs. Deacons, stated that his client had pleaded guilty to the charge, but before sentence was passed on him he would like to point out the circumstances in which the crime was committed.

TOO MUCH LIQUOR

The case was another instance of the fatal results which could occur in taking too much liquor. On the morning in question, which was a Friday, the accused, having got his pay, went to the canteen of his Regiment and had some beer. Afterwards he and his companion (Pte. Chapman), instead of having their midday meal in the barracks, went out on bicycles but instead of going to the canteen, as originally intended, they went to the canteen of the Royal Army Medical Corps, where they had some more beer. After that, his client said he could remember little or practically nothing of what happened. He was riding back towards his barracks when he fell off his bicycle. Those were the circumstances in which this unfortunate incident came about.

With regard to the deceased himself, it was very unfortunate for the accused that he (the deceased) was in a very precarious state of health, and the actual cause of death, according to the medical evidence, appeared to have been due to haemorrhage of the brain, caused by a blow on the head.

Counsel submitted that if the deceased had been a more healthy person, the blow would probably have caused only a slight or severe bruise. Moreover, it had been given in evidence that the skull of the deceased was abnormally thin.

FAIR RECORD

"The accused had been in the Army for four years and apart from a certain number of petty military offences had borne a fairly good character, and had never been convicted of drunkenness. Mr. Macnamara concluded by reminding His Lordship that the accused had been in custody for about a month."

Lieut. P. C. Wellman, of the same Company as the accused, giving evidence as to character, said accused had been in the Army for four years. He had always been of an extremely modest and unassuming disposition. He was very unquarrelsome in the Company and had never been seen to have had any dispute with anyone. He had never been convicted of drunkenness at any time, and as far as his actual record and conduct were concerned, they could be assessed as very fair. He had only a small number of military offences on his record which were purely military and technical. Furthermore, he had never been convicted by court-martial, nor had he had any conviction by the civil authorities.

Mr. Macnamara: I have almost forgotten to say a most important thing. My client wishes to express his sincere regret for this unfortunate incident.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, assistant Attorney General, who appeared for the prosecution, pointed out that although the prisoner had taken

SILVER JUBILEE

Final Meeting

At the Final Meeting of the Silver Jubilee Committee held yesterday in the Council Chamber, Sir Thomas Southorn who presided made references to the good work put in collections made were also allocated.

In his address to the gathering Sir Thomas said:—

Gentlemen.—We meet to-day to wind up our functions as the Silver Jubilee Committee and I am presenting to you the final accounts of our expenditure. You will be glad to see, and in these hard times, the Government is no less glad, that we kept well within the amount voted to us by the Legislative Council. But we could not have done this without the very generous assistance both in money and labour of our Chinese friends who contributed no less than \$169,500 to the expenses of the Day and Night processions which were so unique and so successful a feature of our celebrations.

The warmest thanks both of the Committee and in particular to Mr. Ho Kam Tong whose accident we so much deplored and to Mr. Tse Ka Po who took his place and to the various Guilds and Associations for their very effective organization of the processions.

SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS

Gentlemen, I think we may, without undue self adulation, congratulate ourselves in the success of our efforts to celebrate His Majesty's Silver Jubilee in a fitting manner. I need not weary you with an account of our doings for you are all well aware of them and a full account was sent to the Secretary of State for the Colonies for his information. Letters of thanks were sent by His Excellency Sir William Peel or by myself to our many helpers and I do not propose to repeat them in the form of detailed votes of thanks to-day.

I do wish however to make public recognition of our indebtedness to the Army, Navy and Air Force for their co-operation and for their special displays, to the shipping companies, business firms and general public for their effective private illuminations, and in this connection I could have wished that more householders on the Peak had followed the excellent example set by the French Consul and others whose illuminated houses added so much to the evening displays, and also to the Electric Companies on both sides of the Harbour for their willing co-operation.

THANKS

As regards the daylight decorations, our thanks are specially due to Lt. Col. Dowling, O.B.E., for his crowded streets.

Lastly Gentlemen, I desire to express my personal indebtedness to you all and in particular to Sir William Shenton the Vice Chairman of this Committee and the Chairman of the various Sub-Committees for your willing co-operation and strenuous work which resulted in a success of which the Colony may well be proud. So effectively did you carry out your work that there was very little left for me to do.

I cannot close without expressing my warmest thanks, in which I am sure you will all wish to join, to our Secretary, Mr. S. F. Balfour, on whom fell the very onerous duty of co-ordinating the activities of the various Sub-Committees. His ready and courteous help kept our whole machinery working smoothly and contributed in no small degree to the success of our undertakings.

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a most honourable course in pleading guilty to the offence, the case was nevertheless a very serious one. The accused had unlawfully killed a man who tried to help him. The reason why he was not charged with murder was due to the fact that the Crown had taken into consideration of the poor condition of the health of the deceased.

CORRESPONDENCE

(All letters intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not for publication, unless so desired, but as evidence of good faith.—Ed.)

[To the Editor, The "Hong Kong Daily Press"]

Sir: I have been told that comparisons are odious.

GARETH JONES

Killed by Chinese Bandits

This unfortunate young man was captured by Chinese bandits whilst peacefully travelling in company with a German companion. Some sort of protest was made by the British authorities, and the German was released. The German made efforts to secure the ransom demanded by the bandits, but the body of the British subject has now been found riddled with bullets. It is significant that the German was released, but perhaps Germans in China enjoy more prestige than we do. Doubtless the final chapter closing the incident will be an expression of regret from the Chinese government, the promise of a solatium to the family of the deceased, and the British Minister may even apologise for the unfortunate accident, and end up by expressing the pious hope that this will not occur again.

GARAITO JONESKO

Killed by Chinese Bandits

News has reached the Japanese Consul that Garaito Jonesko, Japanese Subject, was captured by Chinese Bandits recently, and that his body has now been found riddled with bullets.

The Japanese Minister has lodged an energetic protest with the Nanking government, and has demanded sanctions.

Four high Chinese officials have been detained in the Japanese Legation in Peking, and are held incommunicado.

Colonel Takahashi has advanced his troops, and has now occupied the principal towns in Hopei and Shansi, and has wired the War Office in Tokyo for reinforcements.

The Japanese military authorities have placed under arrest the local magistrates, and the arrest and punishment of the bandits is expected shortly.

Chiang Kai Shek has waded apologising for the incident, offering an apology and compensation. Nanking is bowing, scraping and apologising.

China loses another province.—yours etc.,

A. S.

OBITUARY

Mr. H. D. C. Jones

The funeral took place at Brookwood Cemetery, Surrey, England, on Wednesday afternoon July 31 of Mr. Harry Davies Campbell Jones, formerly joint manager of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in London, who died after a brief illness on Monday, July 29 at the age of 71 at his residence in Palace Gate, London.

Mr. Jones joined the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank in London at the age of 18, and was later transferred to offices in the East, where he remained until 1911. During this period, he first acted in Manila 1885-1896 and from 1897-1906 he was manager of all the Philippine branches of the Bank. In 1907 he was appointed manager of the Yokohama Branch and was in charge of all the branches in Japan until 1911. He was well-known and highly respected in all Chinese and Japanese circles and the announcement of his death will be received with universal regret. He served on the Council of the Overseas Banks Association in London for several years and became vice chairman in 1927 and chairman in 1928. He was an expert angler, which was his special recreation. On his return to London he was appointed joint manager and held that position until his retirement in October, 1933. When he completed his jubilee of service with the bank he was the recipient of testimonials and an autographed album from the directors and staff.

The burial service was conducted by the Rev. C. M. Horley, Rector of Bley, Cremation had taken place earlier in the day at St. John's, Woking.

There was a large number of beautiful wreaths sent by his wife

UNEMPLOYMENT TALK

Rotary Function

"Unemployment Relief Methods in England and Germany" was the subject of an address by Mr. L. W. B. Teeling, special correspondent of "The Times" and a candidate for the House of Commons, delivered to the Rotary Club yesterday. H.E. the Officer Administering the Government (Sir Thomas Southorn) and the Consul for Germany (Herr Gipperich) were among those present.

In introducing the speaker, the President (Professor L. Forster) remarked that Mr. Teeling was one who believed that special study was necessary for a political career. Therefore he had travelled extensively, had tramped through England in order to study conditions amongst poorer folk, and had been in lumber camps in Canada.

CAUSE OF WAR

Mr. Teeling touched on unemployment as a possible cause of war—a theme he had no time to develop. As to unemployment in Great Britain he said the unemployment fund was now solvent, so that the payments to the unemployed could not be called a dole. He outlined various plans for improving the lot and the prospects of those out of work and for encouraging removals from distressed areas to others where opportunities were better.

Hitch-hiking, he said, had developed in several European countries, including Great Britain, to such an extent that workers were meeting internationally. This augured hopefully for peace between the nations and made one optimistic about the future.

In Germany there were about six millions unemployed when Herr Hitler took control. The National Socialists came into power because the better-to-do classes in Germany were making practically no contribution towards the problems of government but were engrossed in their private business and personal interests. They should have been the people of political influence as, luckily, they still were in England. Hitler came into power to fight the communists and to find employment for the working classes. Germany's political aim now was to train the people for a democratic form of government to come in the near future.

CONSCRIPTION AS A MEANS
Mr. Teeling mentioned the development amongst the whole community in Germany of sympathy for the unemployed and, by restricted meals of certain days, to share their hardships. He believed that conscription was adopted principally as a means of caring for 500,000 unemployed.

Hitler's two main objects were to engender a national spirit of enthusiasm which would lead to confidence in the country and willingness to develop its resources. Extremism would die down; over 80 million well-educated people who had been on the verge of communism had found the man who had put them on their feet again.

The two countries were each trying in their own ways to deal with unemployment. The methods differed, partly because the English people had been educated in democracy and the Germans had not. The English working people were the most level-headed in the world.

GREATEST PROBLEM
Professor Robertson moved a vote of thanks to the speaker.

This was seconded by special request by Herr Gipperich who remarked that unemployment was perhaps the greatest problem in the present-day world. Germans admitted that their National Socialism was not "an export article" but they felt they knew better than other countries what was good for themselves. Unemployment had not only economic but serious human and moral aspects. Work was not a curse but a blessing; a young and able man without work deteriorated morally; he acquired the dangerous attitude of mind of the mendicant. The German Government therefore provided work even though the cost of it was greater than the cost of the dole would have been. The success of this policy would be observed by those who travelled in Germany. He complimented Mr. Teeling on the ability and clearness with which he had presented conditions in Germany.

and of her members of the family, the directors and staff of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation and many of her personal friends and banking and commercial firms.

INTERPRETER JAILED

Bribery Alleged

Cheng King U., an Interpreter employed in the Sanitary Department was found "guilty" by the jury who assisted the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell in the Supreme Court yesterday on a charge of having accepted a bribe of \$30 as a public servant.

For the accused, Mr. Macnamara indicated that he would probably lodge an appeal against the conviction.

Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith, assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. H. C. Macnamara, instructed by Mr. M. K. Lo, was for the defence.

The following jury was empanelled:—Messrs. George Duncan, Jr. (foreman), Lam Kwong-sik, A. A. D'Almeida, T. A. Johnston, J. R. Paton, B. C. de Jonge, and L. S. Castro.

The accused was alleged to have accepted a bribe from a pig dealer named Ma Sing who had previously been fined at the Kowloon Magistrate's court for keeping swine without a licence. He was further said to have warned the man of the impending inspection to be made by a Sanitary Inspector.

The defence denied the offence. Mr. Macnamara in addressing the jury said that his client had never before been in trouble and had been with the Sanitary Department for the last ten years. He submitted that the story given by the two witnesses of the crown was a made up one.

AN ALIBI

The defence was two-fold, namely that the evidence given by the two witnesses for the Crown was unbelievable, and that the defence had established an alibi, pure and simple.

Mr. Macnamara then went on to point out the discrepancies in the evidence of the two witnesses for the Crown, after which he submitted that their story was unbelievable and that his client had successfully established an alibi.

For the Crown, Mr. Lockhart-Smith reminded the jury of the relationships between the two witnesses for the Crown and those for the defence. The Crown's witnesses were merely acquaintances and it was inconceivable therefore that they should come together and make up a cock-and-bull story against the accused. On the other hand, the witnesses for the defence were either relatives or close friends, and therefore it could be easily understood that the main purpose of the going to the witness-box was to establish an alibi for the prisoner.

SUMMING UP

In his summing-up, His Lordship referred to the question of dates. The principal witness for the Crown, Ma Sing, had in his sworn information stated that the first meeting, when the bribe was alleged to have been demanded, was on May 24 and that the money was paid over the following day. In the witness-box, however, he stated that the first meeting was on May 18. His explanation for this discrepancy was unconvincing, but, on the other hand, the jury must realise that he was a man of not very great mental power. Further, in his sworn information, Ma Sing had stated that he himself handed the money to the accused, but in the witness-box he said it was Su Shek-sui who did so.

His Lordship then went on to review the evidence given for the defence, after which he directed the jury to consider the various aspects of the case in arriving at their verdict.

The jury took over half an hour to arrive at their decision. His Lordship (Mr. Justice Lindsell) passed sentence of 18 months' hard labour.

INSPIRATION

We have heard of men who live good and useful lives by the light of the little moral tags and fragment suggestions to be found on the memoranda pages of a popular railway guide. In the ebb and flow of inspiration it is the little things that count. Now we have the Poet Laureate confessing that a few simple lines memorized many years ago in America have been uncommonly comforting and uplifting to him. Here they are—
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It is perhaps as well that the P.L. decided to model his life and his poetry on this memorable fragment.

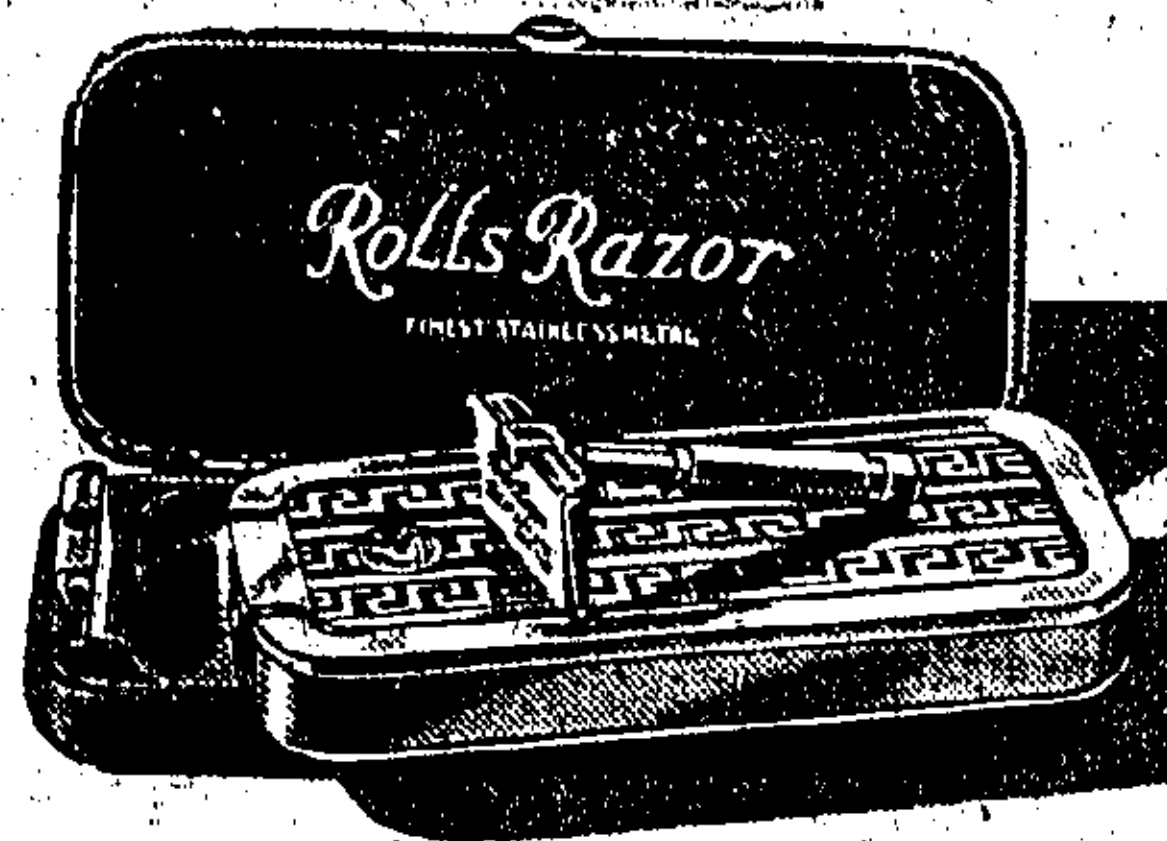
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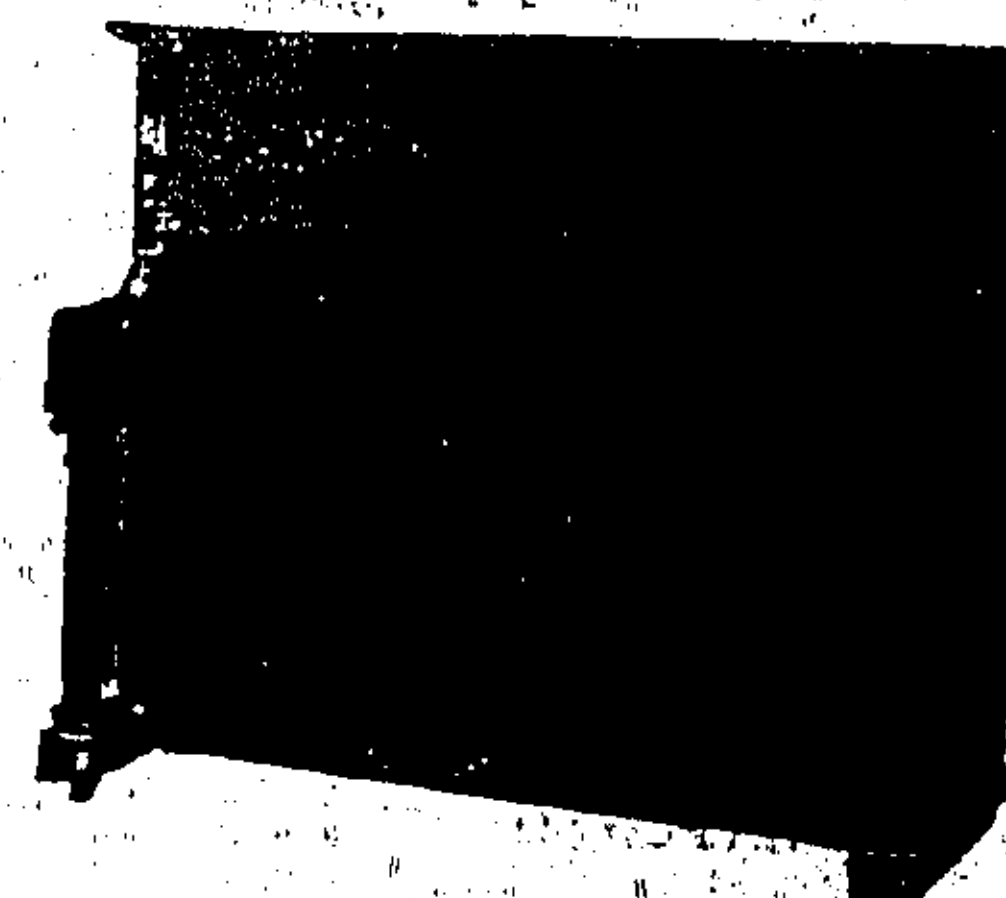
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BUSINESS:
(1) To receive the Report and Accounts for the period ended 30th June, 1935.
(2) To elect Officers for the ensuing year & other General Business.
K. S. ROBERTSON,
Hon. Secretary.
Hong Kong, 15th August, 1935.
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF **ARTHUR DITCHBURN BRENT** of CHARTER, MALTHAM LANE, HERARDS CROSS IN THE COUNTY OF BUCKINGHAM, FORMERLY OF HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION AND OF KNIPPHILL, FAIR-MALE, CORHAM, IN THE COUNTY OF SURREY IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of the provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897, made an order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to 7th SEPTEMBER 1935.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

DEACONS,
Solicitors for the Executors,
1, Des Voeux Road Central,
Hong Kong.
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF **THEOPHILUS PERCY JONES**, LATE OF LAL KOTI CHARLTON KING CHILTONHAM IN THE COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER FORMERLY OF BURGHELY HOUSE BLACKBATH HILL IN THE COUNTY OF KENT, RETIRED COLONEL, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of Section 58 of the Probate Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting the time for Creditors and Others to send in their claims against the above Estate to the 9th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1935.

All Creditors and Others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 13th day of August, 1935.
JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER
Solicitors for the Executors.
Princo's Building,
100 House Street,
Hong Kong.
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF **JOHN J. JEFFREY**, SOMETIME OF WILKINS ROAD LOCKPORT, DUMFRIES BUT LATE OF 19, UPTON GARDENS, KENTON, MIDDLESEX ENGLAND, DECEASED.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of the Shareholders of the above named Company will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Dodwell & Company, Limited, at Queen's Building, Victoria, in the Colony of Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1935 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of fixing the remuneration of the Liquidators of the above named Company.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1935.

DODWELL & CO., LTD.
Liquidators.
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INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.
(IN LIQUIDATION)

A Third and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the Industrial & Commercial Bank Ltd. (In Liquidation).

Creditors who have not proved their debt by the 30th day of SEPTEMBER, 1935, will be excluded from this dividend.

Proofs should be sent to the undersigned at 6, Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong, on or before the 30th day of September, 1935.

Dated the 7th August, 1935.
J. HENNESSEY SETH,
S. HAMPDEN ROSS,
Joint Liquidators.
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HONGKONG TRAMWAYS LIMITED

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND of 40 (forty) cents per Share has been declared payable on WEDNESDAY, 21st AUGUST next, on and after which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained upon application at the Registered Office of the Company, Canal Road East, Bowrington, Hong Kong.

NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the REGISTER OF MEMBERS of the Company will be Closed from WEDNESDAY, 7th, to TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
W. F. SIMMONS,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, 29th July, 1935.
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THE WALWAL INCIDENT

Neutral Arbitrator Not Necessary

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")
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Paris, Aug. 20.
Contrary to expectations, the conciliation and arbitration commission for the examination of the Walwal incident did not appoint a fifth arbitrator at the meeting held on Monday evening. The Italian delegation pointed out that a new situation has been created by the League of Nations' decision of August 3, according to which the Commission is not empowered to deal with the definition of the frontier between Abyssinia and Italian Somaliland. It must first be seen, declare the Italian members, whether the agreement can be reached with the Abyssinian members regarding the investigation of the Walwal incident without touching on the frontier question and only in the case of an divergence of views occurring, would it be necessary to appoint the fifth arbitrator.

In this case the Italians declared themselves in agreement with the appointment of the Greek Minister Politis. The Commission thereupon resolved to continue the session on Tuesday without a fifth neutral member.

favourite meeting-places of the elite and the dinners and dances run by them are always well-patronised. The Hong Kong resident is, as is commonly known, an individual who is extremely hard to please yet everywhere there is a "do" in any one of the hotels. He comes away happy and satisfied. In Kowloon we have the over popular Peninsula Hotel while there is that very English one up the Peak and the large seaside resort at Repulse Bay. The visitor who sees Repulse Bay goes into ecstasies about this "River of the Orient," and not without very good reason too.

The visitor to the Colony, we presume, comes to enjoy himself and if variety is what he seeks then it may be said that there are ever so many ways of spending his time. For the greater part of the year we have the race meetings at Happy Valley and here may be had sport of the highest quality. The visitor also has his first glimpse of East and West entering into the afternoon's enjoyment in the best of spirits and goodwill prevails. For more racing our friend from abroad may be taken over to Kowloon and incidentally on the way out he catches glimpses of real Chinese country life in the very midst of Western civilization. Then there is tennis, bathing, golf, motoring and all the other branches of sport, too numerous to mention, but nevertheless are there for the asking. It may not be generally known that deep-sea fishing may be indulged in close to the island while in the New Territories one may go wild pig hunting. So far as the snipe is concerned this bird thrives in the New Territories so it will be seen that open air sport in the Colony is as varied as artificial amusements.

Sport however, is only a secondary matter when compared with the other more serious problems. The visitor naturally likes to know what living conditions are like and to put him at his ease we hasten to say just one word—excellent. Apart from the Hotels mentioned above there are many others while there are also many excellent boarding houses. For a family on holiday a good plan would be to rent a furnished flat—these may be had at extremely low figures nowadays—and as for the question of food, that efficient establishment, the Dairy Farm is there to answer every need.

It will be seen, therefore, that apart from being a delightful place in which to spend a holiday, it is also an attractive place in more ways than one. The beauty of Hong Kong is proverbial, and although not many people have seen our Colony yet, they must have read about the place in guide books and the like. Let us add here that what is said about the Colony in those books is no exaggeration, but why be satisfied with merely reading about this delightful place, when such a simple way out is at hand—come to Hong Kong!

SILVER CRISIS

In The Bombay Market

Bombay, Aug. 20.

There is a serious crisis in the silver market in consequence of rumours that a dealer will be unable to meet his liabilities during present settlement. The Exchange Board will meet to-night.

HEAVY SELLING

London, August 20.
It is rumoured that the difficulties in the Bombay silver market were caused by heavy Indian selling of silver in London to-day. The American Government held the spot rate steady but forward prices fell sharply and now stands at the largest discount as compared with cash.

The London market is somewhat nervous lest the difficulties which at present are reported to be confined to one Bombay dealer should spread, thereby lowering the Bombay silver price and consequently increasing the offering from India on the London market.

Reuter.

Washington, Aug. 20.
The "Washington Post" says that Vice-President Garner and a party of forty-eight Congressmen, including leaders in the House and Senate will visit Japan at the end of October after a visit to the Philippines to attend the celebrations in connection with the inauguration of the Independent Government.—Reuter.

NEWS FROM THE NORTH

Chiang-Wang Talk To Be Held?

Nanking, Aug. 20.
Chiang Tso-jing is expected to return from Japan shortly.

Chen Shao-kwan's resignation has been rejected.

Huang-fu arrived here this morning and called on General Chiang Kai-shek.

After an interview with General Chiang Kai-shek with a letter from Mr. Wang Ching-wei, it is understood that Chu Ming-yi despatched a telegram to Wang. While details of Wang's letter and Chiang's telegram are not divulged, it is understood that they concern the time and place for a meeting.—Reuter.

BERLIN "WIRELESS" FIRE

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")
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Berlin, Aug. 20.
Rumours current on Monday night that the violent conflagration which broke out at the Berlin Radio Exhibition which destroyed not only Hall 4 containing the principle exhibition stands, but also the neighbouring Halls No. 3 and 5 as well as the 420 feet Broadcasting tower which was one of the landmarks of Berlin, have fortunately proved to be unfounded.

The misleading reports arose through the intensity with which Hall 4 burned. The building was one mass of flames and only the heroic efforts of the firemen prevented the fire spreading.

Salvage work commenced early on Tuesday morning and it is hoped to have all the debris removed by Thursday.

Meanwhile the exhibition will continue its normal course, and it is hoped to provide temporary accommodation for the exhibitors who were in Hall 4. Despite the severity of the blaze, only one person lost his life while of the 24 admitted to the hospital with injuries, 7 were able to leave the same evening.

Transoceanic Kuo Min.

THE BANKING BILL

To Go To White House

Washington, Aug. 19.

The Banking Bill conference report, has been accepted by the House and the Senate and will now go to the White House, the underwriting amendment having been dropped.

The Bill gives the Government-appointed Federal Reserve Board control of the Reserve Banks' open market policy through a seven to five majority over the Banks' representatives in a new committee which is empowered to dictate policy.

Furthermore, President Roosevelt is empowered to appoint a new Reserve Board, with Senate approval, before February 1, 1936, thereby getting complete control of the Reserve Banks' credit policy.

Meanwhile, the Senate has passed the Frazier Lusk Farm Mortgage Bill now goes to the House of Representatives.

The House of Representatives has passed the Guffey Coal Bill by 195 votes to 168. The Bill, which establishes a "little N.R.A." for the bituminous coal industry, now goes to the Senate.—Reuter.

THE SHAI-WUSH ROAD OPENED

Over 3,000 Guests Attend Ceremony

Shanghai, August 18.

Under the chairmanship of Gen. Wu Te-chen, Mayor of Greater Shanghai, the new Shanghai to Wushu highway was formally declared open at a ceremony held yesterday in the Old Tree Pavilion at Nanhsang. Over 3,000 guests were present at the function. After the National Anthem had been sung, various speakers, led by Gen. Wu Te-chen, spoke briefly on China's need for highways, the binding effect such links of communication undoubtedly would have on the people, and a brief review of the work done in the building of the Shanghai-Wushu highway, on which \$1,300,000 has been spent since it was commenced two years ago.

Led by the official cars, seventy buses and over 200 cars then proceeded down the highway, arriving at Changshu, fifty miles away, in time for lunch. The trip was not without incident, as no less than ten of the buses suffered from mechanical troubles, due, it is thought, to the hurry with which preparations for the journey had been made, but, with the exception of a broken front axle, none of the troubles was serious.

AN ASH SURFACE

The road has a mud foundation, with a loose surface of ash. Although there are one or two nasty hairpin bends, a fairly steady average of 25 to 30 miles an hour can be maintained over by far the greatest portion of the journey.

Changshu, in the heart of one of the most prosperous districts in the richest province in China, lies at the bottom of a verdure-covered hill, and must be one of the prettiest cities in the near neighbourhood of Shanghai. It is certainly one of the cleanest, and its population turned out in style to do honour to the occasion. Armed guards stood at the main entrance, brass bands marched through the streets, and the crowds of people filling nearly every inch of available space appeared to be enjoying themselves tremendously.

After lunch, those who wished to proceed to Wushu went on by bus, returning late last night by train, but by far the greater portion made the return trip by car to Shanghai.

NO INSPIRING SCENERY

From the scenic point of view, the road to Wushu is not particularly inspiring. The landscape is typical of that found on the outskirts of Shanghai—small bamboo groves in which tiny villages nestle, cultivated fields as far as the eye can see, and creeks, everywhere—although the sight of the Changshu "mountain" is a treat to eyes used to flat country. Of interest, is the Old Tree Pavilion, where the road-opening ceremony was held. Built over 300 years ago, in the Ming Dynasty, by a famous Chinese artist, Li Yuen-

NEWS SUMMARY

Cyril William Crompton, 29, a Private of "C" Company, 1st Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment, was sentenced to nine months' hard labour at the Criminal Sessions yesterday, when he pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawfully killing Hilder Khan, ex-Police Guard, on July 19 at the junction of Shanghai Street and Jordan Road. Page 7.

Two fruit stall holders, Lo Wing Yiu, 35, and Lo Kan, 35, were charged before Mr. Wynne Jones, at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with having assaulted Tsui Man, 30, ticket collector, at Poho Street near Yee Kuk Street yesterday. They pleaded guilty and were each fined \$25, or, in default, one month's hard labour. Page 6.

A verdict of "Guilty" was returned by the jury at the Criminal Sessions yesterday in the trial of Cheng K'ing U. Sanitary Department interpreter, who was charged with having accepted a bribe of \$50 as a public servant. Page 7.

Mrs. B. Fant, of No. 36 Hankow Road, first floor, was summoned before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for having kept a white and brown dog on August 7 without a licence. She pleaded not guilty and the summons was dismissed. Page 6.

This year's Colony Swimming Championships are attracting more entries than usual and augurs well for the meet which is being held at the V.R.C. next week. Page 10.

The inquest into the death of a stonebreaker, Cheung Yau, who was believed to be a victim of rabies was concluded at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones sat as Coroner. Page 6.

Sums totalling \$155,712 will come up for appropriation at the next meeting of the Finance Committee of Legislative Council. Page 6.

The final meeting of the Silver Jubilee Committee was held yesterday evening at the Legislative Council's Hall when Sir Thomas Southern in addressing the gathering made references to the good work put in by the various organisations. Page 7.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A dinner dance will be held at Repulse Bay Hotel to-day. The last bus leaves Repulse Bay at 1 a.m.

Mrs. Ferguson, of 3 Stafford Road, Kowloon Tong, has reported to the police that her daughter, Lella, aged six years, has been bitten by a dog owned by Mrs. H. Tam, living next door. The girl received medical treatment and the animal was removed to Mataukok for observation.

Six cases of enteric fever were reported to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours ended on Monday.

There were two cases of diphtheria both fatal, six cases of enteric fever of which two were fatal, and 61 cases of tuberculosis all fatal reported to the Health Authorities for the week ended on August 17.

STRIKE CONTINUES AT BREWERY

Shanghai, Aug. 15.

The strike at the Union Brewery in Gordon Road continued yesterday and no progress was reported in the negotiations between workers and management. The brewery is virtually idle, only the refrigerating plant being operated. The new Union Brewery, 4 Ichang Road, is working and no trouble has been reported there.

The Shanghai City Government is endeavouring to end the strike at the old plant by mediation.

long, it has now passed into the hands of the city of Nanhsang. It provides an excellent picture of old China, with its ancient houses, winding paths, and twisting streams, and in it may also be found one of the oldest trees in China.

On the right side of the road going to Changshu, may be seen, quite an excellent state of repair, the wall of the ancient city of Kiating and Tazang. They are said to be between 300 and 400 years old and should prove of interest to archaeologists.

CAN SIGNOR MUSSOLINI CARRY OUT HIS AMBITIOUS PLAN?

HURRICANE SCORING AT THE OVAL

Closing Stages Of Final Test

London, Aug. 20. Whatever happens, the final day of the final Test between England and South Africa, will probably go down in history as one of the most memorable on the historic Oval. Satisfied that the game would end in a draw, only a handful of spectators turned up when the gates were opened. The other enthusiasts keeping away from the ground, but the three thousand loyal supporters were rewarded by some of the most excellent cricket seen on that ground for many a long day.

Maurice Leyland and Leslie Ames, the overnight not outs, resumed their innings on a wicket which appeared to be good while the weather behaved splendidly. The former's score stood at 117 while Ames had collected but 25 when stumps were drawn on the previous evening with England's total at 313 for 4.

Ames was thrice morally bowled in the same over by Vincent but the batsmen were soon displaying the utmost confidence and were hitting the ball all over the ground. Scoring a couple of sixes off Vincent, Ames reached his half-century in 100 minutes while Leyland reached his 150 after he had been batting for 205 minutes. England added 100 runs in 65 minutes in the course of the morning, a very true indication of the way these two stalwarts went for the bowling.

LEYLAND STUMPED

Continuing to bat in care-free fashion, Leyland jumped out to one from Mitchell and missed the ball to see Cameron wiping off his balls. He had stayed at the wickets for 235 minutes during which time he made 161 runs, hitting one sixer and 17 fours. He also put on the record fifth wicket partnership for Anglo-South African Tests with Ames. Nicholls was next man in and he went about his business in a similar manner, opening his shoulders right from the start. The 500 was signalled after 255 minutes when Nicholls, in attempting a big hit, was caught by Siedle (at long leg) off Langton—506-6-30.

Ames now had Robins as his partner and continued in merry fashion, bringing his score to 148 when a stop was made for lunch. Robins had collected 10 and with the total at 534 for 6 it was announced that Wyatt had applied the closure.

Leslie Ames had played a delightful innings, scoring a couple of sixes and sent the ball to the ropes on no less than 14 occasions. He was at the wickets for 210 minutes, during which time he brought off some pretty off drives and leg shots.

THE SECOND KNOCK

Siedle and Bruce Mitchell came out to open South Africa's second innings but things did not go so well for the tourists this time and with only 16 runs on the score board they lost their first wicket—Mitchell being bowled by Read for 9 runs.

Rowan joined Siedle but further disaster was in store for the South Africans, their second wicket (Rowan, b Bowes) falling with the score at 23. The new-comer, Nourse, showed more caution and appeared to be quite content to pick out only the loose ones, treating the others with due respect. As a result the 50 was signalled in 60 minutes and when the score read 63 an incoming from Bowes got past Siedle's defence and hit his leg peg. The outgoing batsman scored 36 while Nourse now had Viljoen as his partner.

When the newcomer's score stood at 8 he was dropped by Wyatt in the gully. At 31 Nourse was bowled by Read (112 for 4) while Cameron who filled the breach opened his account with a

boundary, the next four scoring strokes also being obtained in the same manner. They continued to bat in dashing fashion and with the score at 154 for 4, a stop was made for tea, Viljoen being 34 and Cameron 25, both not out.

SOUTH AFRICA 2ND INNINGS

Siedle, b Bowes	36
Mitchell, b Read	9
Rowan, b Bowes	9
Nourse, b Read	34
Viljoen, not out	34
Cameron, not out	25
Extras	4

Total for 4 wks. 154

STOP PRESS

The Final Test Match ended in a draw, thus giving the South Africans the rubber.

SOUTH AFRICA—1st Innings

Bakewell, c Cameron, b Langton	20
Mitchell, b Crisp	40
Wyatt, c Cameron, b Vincent	37
Hammond, st. Cameron, b Vincent	65
Leyland, st. Cameron, b Mitchell	161
Ames, not out	148
Nicholls, c Siedle, b Langton	30
Robins, not out	10
Extras	23

Total (for 6 wks. dec.) 534

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Crisp	28	—	113	1
Langton	38	5	124	2
Dalton	16	1	50	—
Vincent	42	5	138	2
Mitchell	8	—	36	1

COUNTY MATCHES

London, Aug. 20.

The following matches, which began over the week-end, have been concluded.

Yorks beat Middlesex by an innings and 82 runs.

Yorks, 387.

Middlesex, 183 (Verity 6/53) and 102 (Verity 5/20).

Leicester beat Somerset by 4 wickets.

Sussex, 136 and 199 (Astill 6/51).

Leicester, 182 and 174 for 8 (J. Langridge 5/71).

Hampshire beat Northants by an innings and 213 runs.

Northants, 129 and 116.

Hants, 458 for 3 dec. (McCorkell 132 and Paris 134, not out).

Essex beat Gloucester by 63 runs.

Essex, 317 and 151 (Goddard 7/49).

Gloucester, 228 (Evans 6/47) and 177 (P. Smith 6/76).

Reuter.

NEW CRIME LEGISLATION

Berlin, Aug. 19.

The replacement of the existing Penal Code in the near future by new crime legislation "in accordance with the political and cultural views now prevailing in Germany," was announced by Dr. Guertner, Minister of Justice, in opening a Penal Congress consisting of a thousand delegates from fifty countries, to-day.

Dr. Guertner foreshadowed a new Code, "which will not be bound by written law, but will determine what is right within the

NO MORE COUGHING

London, August 20.

The Newmarket coughing epidemic is practically ended and the St. Leger candidates have all resumed active work. Bahram and Haiman engaged in a canter while Plasey was sent out on a nice-paced spin.

Reuter.

scope of the general aims of the legislator."

Judges, he said, would henceforth treat criminal intentions in the same way as criminal acts.

Reuter.

Scathing Comment By The "Manchester Guardian"

ITALY WILL NOT LEAVE THE LEAGUE UNLESS FORCED OUT

London, August 20.

Treason is precisely the word describing the action of Signor Mussolini—treason towards the allies of the Great War, post-war friends and helpmates, and above all to that civilization which stands or falls with the present order, states the "Manchester Guardian" in a leading article on the Abyssinia dispute.

Signor Mussolini is not animated, by old-fashioned imperialism but by the more terrible co-imperialism of the Fascist State. His country, bitter with poverty, is reducing her millions of peasants and workmen to a deprivation as terrible as any in Europe, but it is being adorned with expensive and useless marble monuments that ape the splendours of ancient Rome while he attempts to found an Empire.

Can Signor Mussolini carry out his ambitious plans without such expenditure as will weaken the economic foundations of his rule? Is Mussolini sure that he can hold Austria when his men are perishing from disease, bullet and spear wounds in Africa with prolonged and difficult warfare exhausting his reserves?

Will Mussolini found his Fascist Empire only to despoil all his power and influence on the European continent by a southern south-eastern expansion of the third realm? We cannot tell, says the paper, but if a displacement on the European mainland begins we shall know where the chief responsibility falls, and if it is the power and influence of Fascist Italy that is displaced, then Mussolini must explain it this people.—Reuter.

LONDON CENTRE OF INTEREST

London, August 20.

London became the centre of diplomatic interest in regard to the Italo-Abyssinian dispute to-day when Sir Samuel Hoare and Mr. Anthony Eden arrived at the Foreign Office at 11 a.m.

Mr. Eden presented a long and detailed report on his effort, in conjunction with M. Pierre Laval, to persuade Italy to agree to the proposals for a peaceful settlement. It is believed that they also discussed the next move as the result of Mussolini's rejection of the proposals.

It is learned that an emergency meeting of the Cabinet will take place on Thursday. Mr. Stanley Baldwin will arrive in London from Aix-les-Bains to-morrow afternoon while Mr. Ramsay MacDonald is returning from Lismouth immediately.—Reuter.

HOLIDAY INTERRUPTED

Aix-les-Bains, August 20.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin is spending the afternoon with Sir Robert Vansittart who motored from Paris to report on the "Bipartite Conference." The Premier will leave at noon to-morrow for England for the Cabinet meeting but hopes to rejoin his wife here in a few days.—Reuter.

WHO WAS AGGRESSOR

London, August 20.

The Conciliation Commission who are enquiring into the Uval incident resumed their conversations at the point where it was broken off at Scheveningen on July 9.

The proceedings began with an Abyssinian protest against the limitation of the terms of reference regarding the question of who was the aggressor at Uval.

The Italian arbitrators formally objected to the protest on the ground of lack of justification. The Commission designated M. Politis as the fifth arbitrator.—Reuter.

NO WISH TO LEAVE

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Paris, August 20.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin will leave Aix-les-Bains sometime on Tuesday for London where he will preside at the Cabinet Council, which, according to a report received here from London, will shortly be held in order to discuss the new situation created by the breakdown in Paris of the Three Power negotiations.

One of the matters that will claim the British Cabinet's attention, according to the report, will be the question of whether the arms embargo placed by the Government of war materials to Abyssinia is to be lifted.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, August 20.

London silver prices to-day were unchanged for Spot and down 3/8 forward as follows:—

	Aug. 19	Aug. 20
Spot	25	28
Forward	28-15/16	29-4/16

London on New York cross-rate at 2 p.m. to-day was 4.9831 as compared with 4.9787 at closing yesterday.

Before he leaves Aix-les-Bains, the British Premier will hear the report of the Permanent Under Secretary of the Foreign Office, Sir Robert Vansittart, as to the exact circumstances leading to the breakdown of the conference.

The Italian delegation to the Three Power conference left Paris for Rome on Monday evening. Before his departure, the Chief delegate of the Italians, Baron Aloisi, at a press reception, expressed the hope that the failure of the conference would not prevent France, Britain and Italy to further pursue a common policy of the "Stress front."

Italy, the Baron added, did not intend to withdraw from the League of Nations unless she was forced to do so.—Transocean Kuo Min

ALOISI EXPLAINS

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Paris, August 20.

Before Baron Aloisi left for Rome on Monday evening, he informed pressmen that in his opinion the continuation of the examination of the Abyssinian question through diplomatic channels mentioned in Sunday's communiqué held little chance of success, but added that France, Italy and Britain always agreed that a common policy on the so-called "Stress front" must be pursued, and expressed hope that the failure of the conference did not alter this policy, which would be carried out to a conclusion.

For years, said Baron Aloisi, it had been clear that the treaties with Abyssinia were impossible to execute. Italy had now reached a point where she needed absolute security—she had only 200,000 men in East Africa whereas Abyssinia had 400,000 under arms.

Referring to the Walwal question, Aloisi pointed out that Italy had occupied this point for five years and if Abyssinia was of the opinion that the occupation is unjust, she ought to have applied to the League of Nations at the time instead of indulging in provocative incidents now.

NANKING STATEMENT DENIED

Dr. Mueller Says No Warning Was Given

Peking, Aug. 20.

Dr. Henry Mueller returned from Kalgan this morning and said that Captain Millar is remaining for a few days in Pao-chang for an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of Mr. Gareth Jones.

Referring to the official statement issued by Nanking, Dr. Mueller denied that they were told only to go to Erhsien and Pailingmiao. On the other hand, he states that they were given permission, valid for one month from July 7, to travel into Inner Mongolia and no warning had been given them not to proceed to Dolonor.

JAPANESE SERVICE

Continuing, Dr. Mueller declares that the route the party took on leaving Dolonor was not of their own choosing but was recommended by the Japanese Mil-

itary authorities in Dolonor who declared that all other routes were impracticable and who dictated to the party the stations to be passed by them.

SIGNED PLEDGE

The "official statement" referred to in the above message was to the effect that official circles in Nanking, in expressing deep regret at the death of Mr. Gareth Jones, the British journalist who was murdered by bandits, declare that both Mr. Gareth Jones and Dr. Herbert Mueller were warned by the Chinese authorities in Kalgan that bandits were rampant in Inner Mongolia.

It was further stated that upon their insistence to make the trip, they signed a pledge relieving the Chinese authorities of all responsibilities should anything untoward happen to them.

To Destroy Planes

Copenhagen, Aug. 19.

A claim that he has discovered an "electric death ray" which will cause aircraft to explode in the air is made by a Danish engineer named Ravn.

Ravn declares that the ray is effective over a radius of sixty miles from the transmitter, adding that he can produce an effective apparatus within six months.

In an interview with "Reuter," Ravn said he had received a private invitation to visit England to carry out tests there, and he would accept the invitation on certain conditions.

The conditions laid down chiefly concern the risk involved by the

THE OVADA TRAGEDY

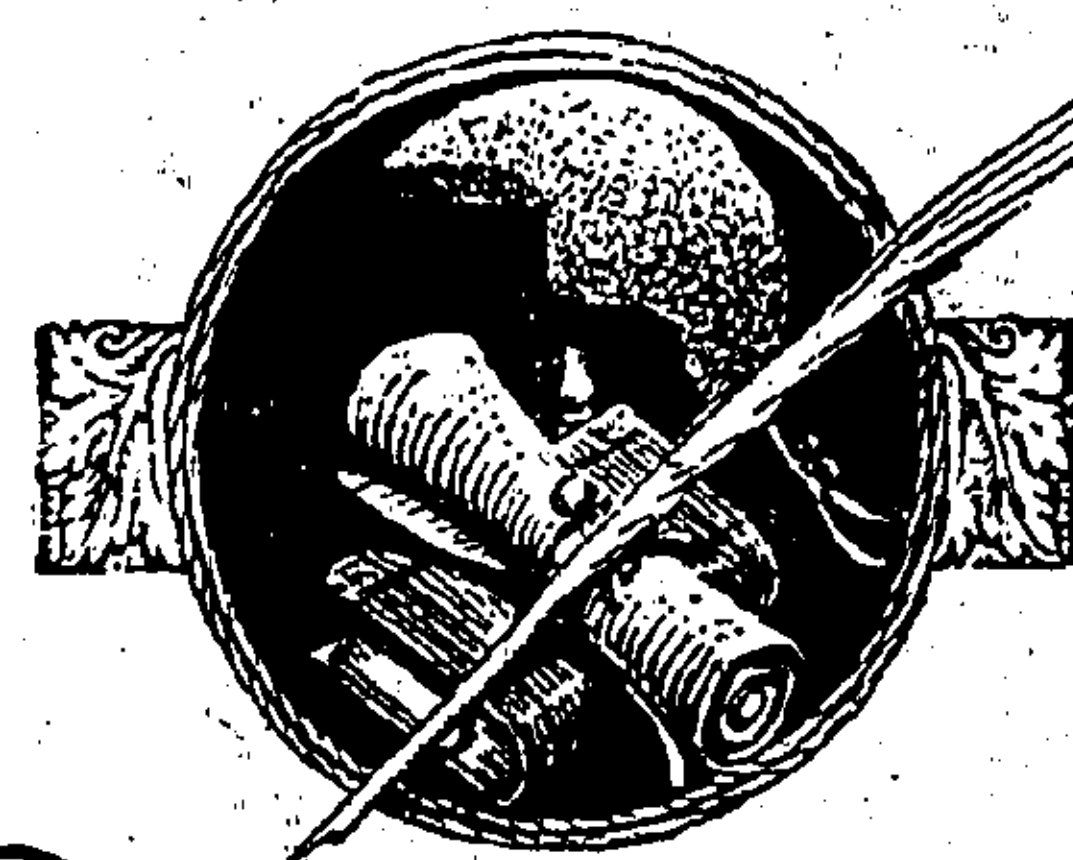
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Rome, Aug. 20.

The damage caused by the dam-bursting catastrophe in Ovada is estimated at 45,000,000 liras. Ten more bodies have been recovered. The railway service between Ovada and Alessandria was resumed on Tuesday morning.—Transocean Kuo Min

very high electric potential with which he would have to work.—Reuter.



Conclusive EVIDENCE

Counsel: Will you tell his Lordship what effect the accident has had upon Tony?

Witness: Tony never went to sleep until well after midnight unless he had sleeping draughts... and Tony took these regularly through last Winter. As I considered these harmful I stopped the sleeping draughts and put him on 'Ovaltine' instead, and he has had 'Ovaltine' ever since.

Judge: What was it you gave him?

Witness: 'Ovaltine.'

Judge: And did it answer the purpose equally well?

Witness: Yes, my Lord, it did.

Judge: When Tony fell asleep was it a restless or a sound sleep?

Witness: A very deep sleep, my Lord.

THE foregoing is an extract from evidence actually given in a recent High Court case. In bringing this to the attention of the proprietors of 'Ovaltine,' the writer adds:

"My son was unfortunately injured in an accident in 1933, receiving amongst other injuries a fractured skull. Throughout the whole of last Winter, he could not get to sleep without sleeping draughts."

"In the subsequent action in the High Court, my wife stated that 'Ovaltine' answered the purpose just as well as sleeping draughts. This testimony to the sleep-inducing properties of 'Ovaltine' was given, of course, on 'Oath,' and it is unnecessary on my part to add anything to it."

The facts above, which speak for themselves, demonstrate the great value of 'Ovaltine.' Remember that for health all day and for sound, natural sleep all night, there is nothing to equal 'Ovaltine.' There is only one 'Ovaltine'—there is nothing 'just as good.'

LAWN BOWLS

Holland Through

Another stalwart fell by the way side yesterday in the fourth round of the Open Bowls Singles Championship. E. el Arcuili of the C.C.C. fell a victim to A. M. Holland by 21 shots to 8 after 19 heads. The match was played on the C.S.C.C. green.

Holland was the better player on the day's play and had things practically all his way. Arcuili was unable to get going and allowed Holland to lay occasional ly.

Although it was considered to be a game between "giants" the standard so displayed was not high.

Holland scored nine singles, three twos and two threes as against Arcuili's three singles, a two and a three.

HYDE-LAY BEATEN

In the fourth round of the Open Singles played on the Recreio green, F. Cullen beat A. Hyde-Lay by 21 shot to 11, the game terminating on the 21st head.

The first 13 heads of the game was the most exciting part of the game as both players were doing their best to keep the lead which was continually changing hands.

The first head went to Hyde-Lay who scored a single, but Cullen made a single on the next head to put them on even terms. The third head went to Hyde-Lay with a single but the next went to Cullen with a 2. Hyde-Lay again scored a single to make the score level. Both the 6th and 7th heads went to Cullen with two singles, and again Hyde-Lay got level when he made a 2 on the 8th head.

Cullen annexed the 9th and 10th heads, making a single and a 2, but Hyde-Lay replied with a 3 to even the scores. The next four heads were played with both scoring singles and with the score at 10 all. Hyde-Lay claimed a single to take the lead and incidentally this was the last point he made till the end of the game.

Cullen's answer to this was a 3 a 2 followed by another 3 and 2 and a single.

SHAI BOWLERS IN SCOTLAND

Shanghai's touring lawn bowls side in Scotland, composed of members of local clubs on home leave, completed their programme at the end of last month with regret. Altogether they had played eight matches, winning four and losing four, and they thoroughly enjoyed the Ayrshire country, while the Titwood greens in Glasgow proved the finest they had ever seen.

The complete results of the tour were: Troon, 75-53; Ayr, 80-65; Ayr Craigie, 68-83; West Kilbride, 74-84; Troon Portland, 58-64; Kilmarnock Portland, 74-48; Prestwick, 70-81; Titwood, 69-55. The figures given second are the shots scored by the Shanghai players, who have lost four and won four matches, but on shot aggregate are down 35 shots—533 for, 568 against.

WIN OVER AYR CRAIGIE
One of Shanghai's wins was against Ayr Craigie on July 17. Keenly contested, the match resulted in a win for the visitors by 15 shots.

Mr. Fairley, Vice-President of Ayr Craigie, extended a cordial welcome to the visitors, for whom Mr. A. A. Malcolm, the Interport bowler who had been resident in Shanghai for many years and who had been in China for 35 years, replied.

Shanghai.—P. Mason, G. Carson, W. Russell and A. A. Malcolm (skip), E. R. Harner, A. W. Campbell, J. Bradley, and H. M. Shankland (skip), W. Whitehead, D. Ferguson, H. Wallace and G. B. Stormes (skip), J. Alcorn, C. Jarvis, C. Clements and T. Main (skip).

Ayr Craigie.—W. J. Kennedy, J. Orr, J. M. Dougal and M. Kennedy (skip), W. Moore, A. Fairley, R. Rennie and A. Milroy (skip), D. Hunter, J. Davidson, J. McKie and A. Lyon (skip), W. Buchanan, J. Logan, W. Munro, and A. Pettigrew (skip).

The last game played by the Shanghai players was against Titwood. Ran fell just as a start was about to be made, and the delay prevented a full game of 21 ends. The weather cleared later, and 17 ends were managed.

OPEN SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP

Good Response

This year's Colony Open Swimming Championships are attracting more entries than usual and augurs well for the meet which is being held at the V.R.C. next week.

W. Lawrence will find plenty of opposition from the Chinese swimmers and will have to go all out to retain his position.

There are no less than five entrants in the Open 100 Yards Breast Stroke race and Kwok Chun Hang (holder) will in all probability retain his title.

The following are the Colony championship entries to-date:

100 Yards Free Style:

Chan Chan-hing (C.B.C.), Tsang H. look (C.B.C.), L. Roza-Pereira (V.R.C.), H. L. Ozerio (V.R.C.) and W. Lawrence (V.R.C.) (Holder).

Throwing the Polo Ball:

Chan Sek-pui (C.A.A.), E. F. J. Chaine (Nan Cheong College) and W. Lawrence (V.R.C.).

100 Yards Back Stroke:

Lau Po-hay (C.A.A.), L. Cpl. R. Mason (East Lanes) and W. Lawrence (V.R.C.).

Ladies 100 Yards Free Style:

Miss Leung Yuk-chen (C.B.C.) and Mrs. L. Mead (Indep.).

850 Yards Free Style:

W. Lawrence (V.R.C.) (Holder) and L. Roza-Pereira (V.R.C.).

200 Yards Open Team Race:

Chinese Bathing Club, Victoria Recreation Club and Royal Engineers.

Boys 100 Yards Free Style:

Wong Tat-chiu and Annesley Keown.

220 Yards Free Style:

Chan Chang-hing (C.B.C.), Tsang Ho-look (C.B.C.), L. Roza-Pereira (V.R.C.) and W. Lawrence (V.R.C.) (Holder).

Long Plunge:

L. Cpl. D. London (East Lanes).

50 Yards Free Style:

Chan Chan-hing (C.B.C.), Tsang Ho-look (C.B.C.), Leun Shu-man (C.B.C.), and W. Lawrence (V.R.C.).

100 Yards Breast Stroke:

Mul-Chee-cheong (C.B.C.), E. M. Marques (V.R.C.), Cpl. A. Fildes (East Lanes), Kwok Chung-hang (Mak Ngah Assoc.) (Holder), and Wong Yu-man (Mak Ngah Assoc.).

440 Yards Free Style:

L. Roza-Pereira (V.R.C.) and W. Lawrence (V.R.C.) (Holder).

Open Diving:

Wong Woon-ki (C.B.C.), Wong Kwok-ki (C.B.C.), Wong Sek-hon (C.B.C.), Leung Kang-yu (C.B.C.) and Dmr. Rush (Lincolns).

VERY FEW ENTRIES FOR SWIMMING TITLES

Shanghai, Aug. 18.

Entries for the Shanghai Swimming Championship events, due to be swum off at the Rowing Club Gala on August 24, which close to-morrow, are decidedly disappointing. In the 220-yd. free style championship only one entry has been received to date and that from N. G. Hammond. The 100-yd. back stroke sees three entries—Kam Yee Ming, Chau Shui Kam and H. P. Berents. Bobby Roach is the only contender at the present time for the 100 yd. free style for juniors while Miss W. Donnelly and Miss J. Cannon would appear to have the 50 yd. free style for ladies to decide between themselves.

It is to be hoped that the Foreign Y.M.C.A. and Cercle Sportif Français will send along representatives to battle for these championships and so add to the keenness of the competition in these classic events.

Titwood were up in three rinks and down in one. In shot aggregate they were up 14 shots.

At the after-meeting President Wm. Alken presided, and expressed the pleasure he and his directors had in having the Shanghai players as their guests, and was specially gratified to observe that they had not lost the grip of the mother tongue.

A. A. Malcolm, the Shanghai captain and organiser of the tour, thanked his hosts for the privilege of playing on such fine turf.

In a letter to the "North-China Daily News" A. A. Malcolm states that owing to the success of the tour, it is hoped to arrange further matches next year, for Shanghai players on leave, with the Glasgow Bowling Association and the Ayrshire clubs so that this year's first attempt at running such matches may prove the beginning of a long series.

LOCAL TENNIS

Indians Win

Several games in the "A" Division of the Tennis League were played off yesterday. The Indians continued in their winning vein by defeating the C.C.C. by 6 sets to 3.

Playing at home the C.R.C. "B" lost to the H.K.C.C. by the odd sets in 9.

The scores were:—

S. W. Liang and R. W. Lee (C.R.C. "B"):

lost to A. L. Sullivan and T. A. Pearce 5-2

lost J. Pote-Hunt and E. Bathurst 5-7

lost to P. H. Scoones and D. M. Macgown 4-6

F. C. Kowk and T. L. Lu (C.R.C. "B"):

lost to A. L. Sullivan and T. A. Pearce 0-6

lost to J. Pote-Hunt and E. Bathurst 4-6

beat P. H. Scoones and D. M. Macgown 6-0

S. W. Wong and C. C. Luk (C.R.C. "B"):

beat A. L. Sullivan and T. A. Pearce 6-3

beat J. Pote-Hunt and E. Bathurst 6-2

beat P. H. Scoones and D. M. Macgown 6-2

INDIANS WIN

The Indians defeated the C.C.C. by 6 sets to 3 on their own ground.

H. D. Rumlahn and A. H. Madar (I.R.C.):

lost J. W. Leonard and G. Lal 2-6

beat Y. Hachiuma and R. Choa 6-4

beat M. Drysdale and A. Kitchell 7-5

D. Pereira and M. O. Hoosen (I.R.C.):

beat J. W. Leonard and G. Lal 6-3

lost Y. Hachiuma and R. Choa 4-6

beat M. Drysdale and A. Kitchell 7-5

S. A. Rumlahn and S. A. Ismail (I.R.C.):

beat J. W. Leonard and G. Lal 6-3

lost Y. Hachiuma and R. Choa 2-6

beat M. Drysdale and A. Kitchell 6-2

K.C.C. BEATEN

On the K.C.C. courts S.C.A.A. beat the home team by 7½ sets to 1½ in a "B" Division match. The Chinese were superior to the home team.

The scores were:—

A. W. Ramsay and Hesse (K.C.C.):

beat F. N. Wong and K. M. Wong 7-5

drew with C. A. Ip and F. F. Lui 6-6

lost to W. H. Ho and W. C. Lee 4-6

G. C. Burnett and J. Thomson (K.C.C.):

lost to F. N. Wong and K. M. Wong 1-6

lost to C. A. Ip and K. F. Lui 4-5

lost to W. H. Ho and W. C. Lee 3-6

L. Oppenheim and F. Broadbridge (K.C.C.):

lost to F. N. Wong and K. M. Wong 3-6

lost to C. A. Ip and K. F. Lui 3-6

lost to W. H. Ho and W. C. Lee 2-6

CLOSE GAME

Playing at Recreio, the U.S.R.C. were beaten by Recreio "B" by 5 sets to 4, in an "A" Division tennis match.

Recreio were rather nervous at the start and consequently conceded the first three sets, but they quickly settled down to business and won all the rest of the sets with the exception of one.

The scores were:—

L. A. Silva and J. J. Remedios (Recreio):

beat L. Goldman and Major Withington 6-2

beat Bishop and Milne 6-1

beat Perse and Hamilton 6-2

H. A. Noronha and W. A. Reed (Recreio):

lost to L. Goldman and Major Withington 0-3

beat Bishop and Milne 6-3

lost to Perse and Hamilton 4-6

L. F. L. V. Ribeiro and B. Gozano (Recreio):

lost to L. Goldman and Major Withington 3-6

lost to Bishop and Milne 3-8

beat Perse and Hamilton 6-4

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HOME CRICKET

Brown And Gover Deadly

London, Aug. 19.

Deadly bowling by F. R. Brown, the Surrey amateur, and A. R. Gover, the young professional, gave the county an eight-wicket victory over Somerset at Yeovil in the County Cricket Championship to-day.

The hosts had first knock but, with Gover taking six wickets for 37 runs, they were only able to register a total of 149, to which Surrey replied with a score of 188. A. W. Wellard taking six for 69.

In their second innings Somerset's batsmen were all dismissed for 198 runs, Brown capturing seven wickets for 70 runs.

Surrey scored 160 for the loss of two wickets.—
Reuter.

Subject to the approval of the local Tennis Association, Kho Sin Kie, Chinese Davis Cup player and National Champion of China, will figure in exhibition games on the Chinese Recreation Club courts on Friday, commencing at 5 p.m.

Sirdar Rumlahn, the local champion, will provide the opposition in a three-set singles match while the visitor, with Lee Wai Tong as his partner, will meet the Rumlahn cousins in a doubles match, also of three sets. Charges for admission will be 50 cents and \$1.

U. S. BASEBALL

Lost Ground Regained

New York, Aug. 19.

Only two matches were scheduled to-day in the National Baseball League, the Giants beating the Reds and the Cubs winning from the Phillies.

In the American League, the New York Yankees regained some of their lost ground by defeating the Championship leaders, the Detroit Tigers, by seven runs to five.

The Athletics and the White Sox were engaged in a double header in which the Chicago outfit won the first and the Philadelphia Club the second game. Results of to-day's matches follow:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	3	6	1
New York	4	10	1

(Herman scored a home run for the Reds).

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2	5	0
Philadelphia	1	9	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	2	9	1
Chicago	7	9	0

(Johnson scored a home run for the Athletics).

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	8	9	3
Chicago	4	10	1

(Jimmy Fox scored a home run for the Athletics and Hayes and Piet for the White Sox).

	R.	H.	E.
New York	7	11	1
Detroit	5	11	0

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THE FOURTH TEST

Great Recovery By England

ENGLAND.—First Innings.

Smith (D.), c Mitchell, b Bell	35
Bakewell, b Crisp	63
Barber, b Langton, b Bell	1
Hammond, b Crisp	29
R. E. S. Wyatt, lbw (N.) b Crisp	3
Leyland, c Mitchell, b Crisp	53
R. W. V. Robins, b Bell	108
Verity, lbw, b Langton	16
Tate, c Viljoen, b Vincent	34
Duckworth, c Nourse, b Crisp	0
Bowes, not out	2
Extras	13

Total 357

SOUTH AFRICA.—First Innings.

Mitchell, not out	2
E. A. Rowan, not out	1

Total (c wkt.) 3

To bat.—H. F. Wade, A. D. Nourse, K. G. Viljoen, H. B. Cameron, E. L. Dalton, A. B. Langton, C. L. Vincent, R. J. Crisp, and A. J. Bell.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Crisp	28	1	99	5
Bell	26	3	90	3
Vincent	28	4	85	1
Langton	11	0	59	1
Mitchell	1	0	11	0

FALL OF THE WICKETS

1-71, 2-77, 3-123, 4-132, 5-141, 6-246, 7-302, 8-338, 9-357 10-357.

England was made what on figures appears to be a splendid opening with a score of 357. But perhaps it is a little too early to be optimistic. Something exceptional must happen in the way of bowling to bring victory to England, but even if the game ends in a dull draw, enough has been done to make one day in a Manchester Test Match, a precious memory. Everything went right to hold the interest—collapse, recovery, back-to-the-wall batting, hard hitting at the right moment, in brief, cricket at its best.

It was a day of little sunshine and there were times when the light was bad, but there had been no rain to put the wicket under suspicion, and badly timed strokes with batsmen deceived by the light rather than by any pranks of the pitch caused most of the England failures.

Luck, for the most part, was on England's side. Catches were missed early in the day of a kind that are described as brilliant when they are made, and inexcusable when they are dropped. Yet, in spite of these things, five batsmen were out for 141. With only an erratic-looking contingent to follow, it was at that point that South Africa lost their grip on the game.

THE FIELDING RATTLED

Some free hitting and some cheeky running between wickets rattled the fielding, and H. F. Wade was singularly loath to experiment with his bowling. Criticism of captains has always been a popular amusement, but it did seem that an earlier use might have been made of A. B. Langton, and more work given to B. Mitchell, who was only allowed to send down one over.

At a crucial time the batsmen were allowed to settle down before any change was made, and Crisp and Bell and Vincent were used as if they alone were capable of taking wickets.

Not for the first time in his short career R. W. V. Robins came to England's rescue. He was, of course, selected for his bowling, but he entered when England were in danger of collapse, and he promptly proceeded to take charge of the game. Those eccentricities that have cost him his wicket more than once this season were abandoned. He was Robins the cricketer, not Robins trying to smite everything.

For two hours he entertained the big crowd, and turned the game round in England's favour. It is a long time since a more popular 100 has been made in a Test Match.

R. E. S. Wyatt won the toss for the third time in this season's four Test matches, but the England batsmen looked upon the wicket with a certain amount of suspicion. They went through that bat-tapping pantomime, which is known as "garden"ing. The suggestion was that the pitch had been a little over-watered. Certainly, when the feet of the bowlers kicked up the turf, the soil looked mud-coloured. Yet it was the swing of the ball rather than any pranks from the pitch that got the English batsmen into early difficulties. Indeed, it was more by luck than judgment that they lived through the opening overs.

SLOW TO AN EXTREMITY

The rumour that some kind of epidemic had broken out among the South Africans as the result of food poisoning was not confirmed, and this time no late change was necessary in the England side. Clay was the man left out, and it seems somewhat futile to ask him to travel, for the second time, some hundreds of miles on the off-chance of the wicket suddenly becoming of a character to suit his style.

The start of the England batting was slow to an extremity. England did not look like England with Sutcliffe away and Hobbs as a spectator. It was a case of a new generation at the wicket, and although Smith and Bakewell justified themselves as opening batsmen to the extent of scoring 72 for the first wicket, they seemed to be awed by the circumstances.

The South African bowling, as represented by Crisp, Bell, and Vincent, may or may not be far superior to anything supplied by the average county, but Bakewell and Smith appeared to see in them something far above the ordinary. Both, on their county form, are attacking players. They have strokes, yet the first hour produced only 50, and Smith, who hits so hard and wisely when championship points are being fought for was a very subdued player. He stayed for an hour and a half with only 35 to his name at the end. Yet, by rule, he is a hard-driving batsman.

So, too, is Bakewell, who, like Smith, has what is known as the two-eyed stance to a pronounced degree, but who rectifies his original position by getting his feet in the right place for in-front-of-the-wicket strokes by the time that the ball meets the bat.

The opening overs were full of adventures. The batsmen began by presenting their bats in a most obliging manner to balls going away outside the off stump, and three possible chances were missed before the score reached 40. Each of them were in the slip direction; Bakewell had made only nine when Vincent should have caught him. Smith presented a chance at six, and a mis-hit low in the gully gave him a second life. Each of these were difficult chances, but they were of the kind that must be held to win Test matches.

The South African captain was slow to make bowling changes of the enterprising kind. He began with Crisp and Bell, the put Vincent on for Bell at 26; he gave Bell a second trial later, but he did not introduce the scheming Langton or the leg-breaking Mitchell. It was when Smith flicked at the off ball once too often that the first wicket fell. After a very uncomfortable beginning, which included two appeals for l.b.w. Barber, in attempting a hook, skied the ball, and was easily caught with the score at 77. Up to that point the batting had been uneventful.

FINE FREE DRIVING

Bakewell was playing a half-way-house form of cricket. He would start something which promised to be a forcing stroke, change his mind at the last minute and suddenly check himself. Yet, now and then, he showed that he remembers his scoring shots, even when playing for England. He contradicted his cramped-up position at the wicket with the right knee bent so that it almost covers the middle stump to the extent of introducing some fine free swinging driving, but he badly mis-timed a full pitch which he tried to hit for 4 in the long-on direction, after he had batted two hours and twenty-five minutes for 63. His departure came at a sorry time for England.

Hammond had begun like the great player that he is—and so often forgets in Test Matches. Nothing better in cricket could be imagined than two boundary strokes that he made in the early part of his innings. They were, in technique, defensive strokes. He merely played back, yet his timing was so perfect that the ball raced to the boundary with "the speed of thought." There was no need to chase it! But Hammond, once more, only stayed to show how magnificent he can be and how bad he can be, for it was an absent-minded looking stroke which cost him his wicket, although he touched the ball which bowled him.

R. E. S. Wyatt came only to go under the lbw new rule, and half the side was out for 141. Better times, from England's point of view, came when R. W. V. Robins entered into partnership with Leyland. The Yorkshireman began in

ABYSSINIA AND ITS CURRENCY

Italian Bank's Monopoly

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.

The Ethiopian crisis has drawn attention to the interesting fact that an Italian bank holds the monopoly of supplying Abyssinia with its currency.

Actually, the Abyssinian talari are the well-known Maria Theresa thalers which for a century and a half were minted in the Austrian mint. They are huge coins, as big as the old English crowns, and bear on one side the portrait of the Austrian Empress Maria Theresa (who ruled from 1740-1780) and the date 1780, while on the reverse side they have the Austrian double-headed eagle.

These Maria Theresa thalers circulate both in Abyssinia and in many other parts of North-Eastern Africa and Arabia. The value of a thaler is about two English gold shillings.

Although other nations tried to oust the "talari" from North-Eastern Africa by introducing roubles and other silver coins, the Abyssinians stuck to their traditional Maria Theresa coins.

Three years ago a group, in which a well-known British metal firm was represented, obtained the monopoly of buying all the thalers from the Vienna mint. Shortly afterwards this group sold its rights to a large Italian bank, which now has the sale of thalers in North-Eastern Africa under its control. It is obvious that this might have considerable political importance.

An interesting point is that no exports of Maria Theresa thalers have appeared in the statistics during the past two years. The explanation may be that Italy sent the necessary silver to Austria, minted the thalers at the Vienna mint, and that the silver then left the country.

his best devil-may-care manner. Any loose balls were adequately punished, and in Robins he found a partner after his own merry heart. How cheekily they ran the short singles. This time Robins was not the bull-at-the-gate batsman, who has thrown his wicket away so often at Lord's this season. He was a hitter with a batsman's mind.

DELAY THROUGH RAIN

It was a very happy partnership when they were not snapping up singles they were hitting hard in many directions. When rain came to cause a few minutes delay, they had put on 89 runs in an hour, a pace for a Test match team at a time of trouble. They began to score as eagerly as ever, when the weather cleared, but probably they were not seeing the ball so clearly as previously.

Anyhow, Leyland attempted to cut a ball from Crisp that was well wide of the off stump, and was caught as a consequence. He had made his 53 in eighty minutes, an enterprising all-round innings. After that it was mostly Robins. Verity was content to look on in admiration at the other end, and made only 16 in a seventh wicket partnership, which produced 68. Robins was 96 when the seventh wicket fell at 302, and he had to battle very hard for the remaining 4 runs. The gods were good to him, for he was beaten several times, and a great congratulatory cheer went up when a late cut brought him his century.

In the next over he was bowled by Bell after batting only two hours for 108. It was one of the brightest hundreds scored in a Test match for a long time—without recklessness but full of enterprise without apparent risk. He hit twelve 4's. Some may say that he should have played with the same discretion after he had reached his hundred as before, since his side was by no means free from defeat, but his last neck-or-nothing stroke was a worthy end to a joyous innings.

Tate, who was given an enthusiastic reception, knocked up a 34, which included seven 4's, and died in an attempt to hit a 6, being well caught in the deep field. An easy catch at cover from a mis-hit by Duckworth ended an innings that had lasted five hours and five minutes.

The South Africans opened their reply shortly before six o'clock, but bad light caused a stoppage after three runs had been scored, and at twenty past six stumps were drawn for the day.

The full attendance was about 24,000, nearly 18,000 paying at the gates.

TENNIS EXHIBITION

RAISES \$5,000

Kho Sin-kie Stars In Flood Relief Programme

Shanghai, Aug. 19.

A handsome sum of about \$5,000 was raised for the flood relief fund at the exhibition at the Cathay Tennis Club yesterday afternoon when three Chinese and two foreign champions met in two singles and one doubles matches. A big crowd estimated in the neighbourhood of 1,000 enthusiasts attended, amongst them Mr. S. Y. Woo, director of the Greater Shanghai Bureau of Social Affairs, his wife, and many prominent government officials and business-men.

Kho Sin-kie, one of the members of China's Davis Cup team, avenged the defeat he had received from the hands of Gordon Lum, a couple of years ago at the China National Athletic Meeting at the capital, by vanquishing his rival by 4-6, 6-4 and 6-4. In another singles match Lewis Carson, coach and manager of China's Davis Cup team, met little opposition from Khoo Hooi-hye, the former singles champion of Shanghai and only Chinese who has appeared on the Wimbledon courts, in two straight sets, 6-2 and 6-2. "Stick" Duff, the ex-Shanghai singles champion, and Lewis Carson went down before Kho Sin-kie and Gordon Lum in the doubles match, the Chinese pair winning by 6-3, 4-6 and 6-2.

UNIQUE CEREMONY

Before the commencement of play Mr. S. Y. Woo, director of the Bureau of Social Affairs, shook with Kho and Lum and performed a unique ceremony by hitting the first ball. At the conclusion Mrs. Woo presented the handsome silver cups to the participants of the exhibition, the trophies being donated by Mr. S. Y. Woo. Mr. F. Schaffer performed his duties of umpire in an admirable manner, officiating in all the three matches, which took about three and a quarter hours to complete. He gave prompt decisions and remained in his seat throughout the matches, and his services were much appreciated.

The four games-love-which Kho had gained on the previously day, it was agreed upon to abandon, and the singles match between Kho Sin-kie and Gordon Lum started away. Kho had a flying start, capturing the first two games to love. Lum quickly settled down and took four games in succession to lead. Kho managed to reduce the margin to one game, 5 to 4 for Lum. Being favoured with the 10th game on his service, Gordon Lum was given the verdict of the opening set at 6-4.

AN UPHILL BATTLE

Fighting an uphill battle, Kho managed to win the two subsequent sets at 6-4 and 6-4. Lum was apparently tired in the second set after Kho had made him run from one corner to the other at the baseline. In the second set the score was brought to level on two occasions at one all and three all. The third and deciding set was almost a replica of the second, Lum leveling the score at one all and three all. Lum was somewhat vexed by a couple of games in the second set when he had a good chance of obtaining the lead.

The second singles match proved to be a one-sided affair and Lewis Carson won from Khoo Hooi-hye with ease. Carson conceded the first and sixth games to Khoo in the opening set, while

in the second set which Carson won again by the same score of 6-2, Khoo could only obtain the fourth and sixth games.

SPLENDID GAME

Four tennis wizards who have in some way been connected with the Davis Cup, gave a splendid exhibition in the doubles match. "Stick" Duff who had been selected to represent Canada before he came to Shanghai, played in partnership with Lewis Carson, the coach of China's Davis Cup team, against Gordon Lum, the former Davis Cup representative, and Kho Sin-kie. The Chinese pair took the first set at 6-3 but Duff and Carson retaliated in the second, to take the verdict by 6-4. The Chinese were leading by 4 to 2 in the second set when Duff, with his clean-cut volleys at the net and Carson rendering great support, took four games in succession to even matters.

The third set, which the Chinese won by 6-2, was played in semi-darkness; otherwise a bitter struggle would have ensued. "Stick" Duff displayed wonderful form at the net while Lewis Carson was clever with his cross-court shots. Lum gave a fine showing and Kho Sin-kie was undoubtedly the best of the quartette with his deadly smashes and tricky change of pace.

PORTUGAL DEFEATED BY JAPAN

Shanghai, Aug. 18.

The tie between Portugal and Japan in the Rotary Cup tournament was broken yesterday when Sudo and Suzuki defeated the Colliaco brothers by 6/4, 8/6. In the third match of the first round: This now leads Japan to the second round and she will meet China on Saturday at the Shanghai Tennis Club, in the singles and the doubles will be played off on the following day. Great Britain will meet America with an identical programme this week end.

Throughout the three sets played Japan showed confidence in her tactics while Portugal fell to pieces after her magnificent performance in the second set when she lost after a hard struggle by 8-6.

The combination of Sudo and Suzuki was definitely superior to the Portuguese representatives, H. Colliaco played a game up to his usual high standard but his brother did not give him sufficient support. The second set saw Portugal grimly determined to make good the lost opening set, and the two Colliaco brothers made a splendid effort. Dogged work of a fair standard, with some excellent cross court play and volleys was witnessed but after the eleventh game, when the score stood at 5/6 in favour of Portugal, Japan went out for victory which she secured at 8/6.

The third set, saw a great rallying away in Portugal's resistance to Japan's attacks, and Sudo, with careful placing was able, with the close support of Suzuki, to outplay Portugal and take the nonours 6-2.

Portugal is therefore eliminated from the series, and the remaining matches should witness some really exciting games as the pick of each nation enter the contest.



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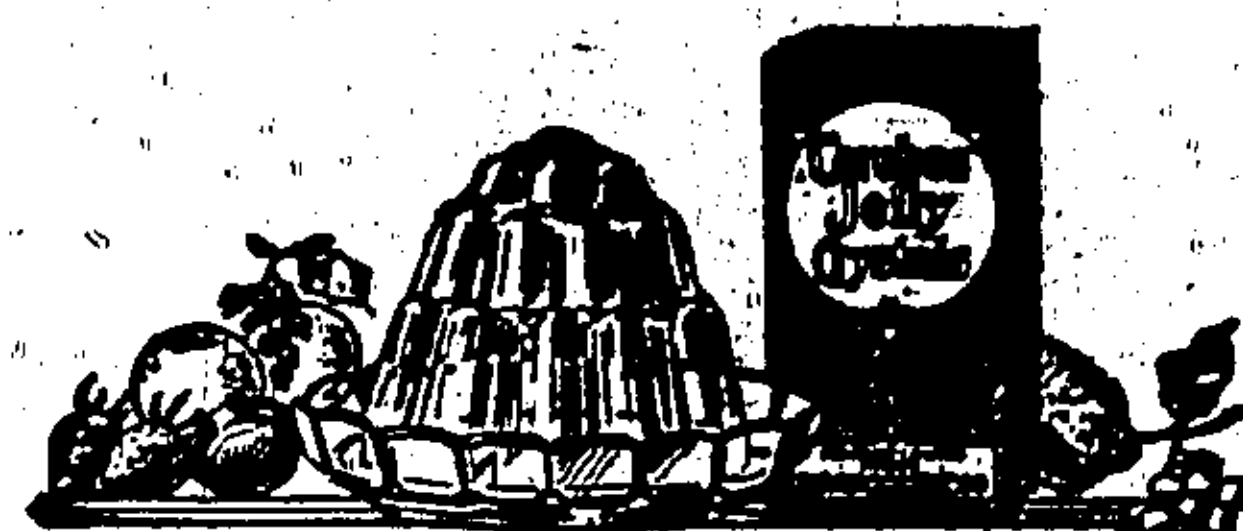
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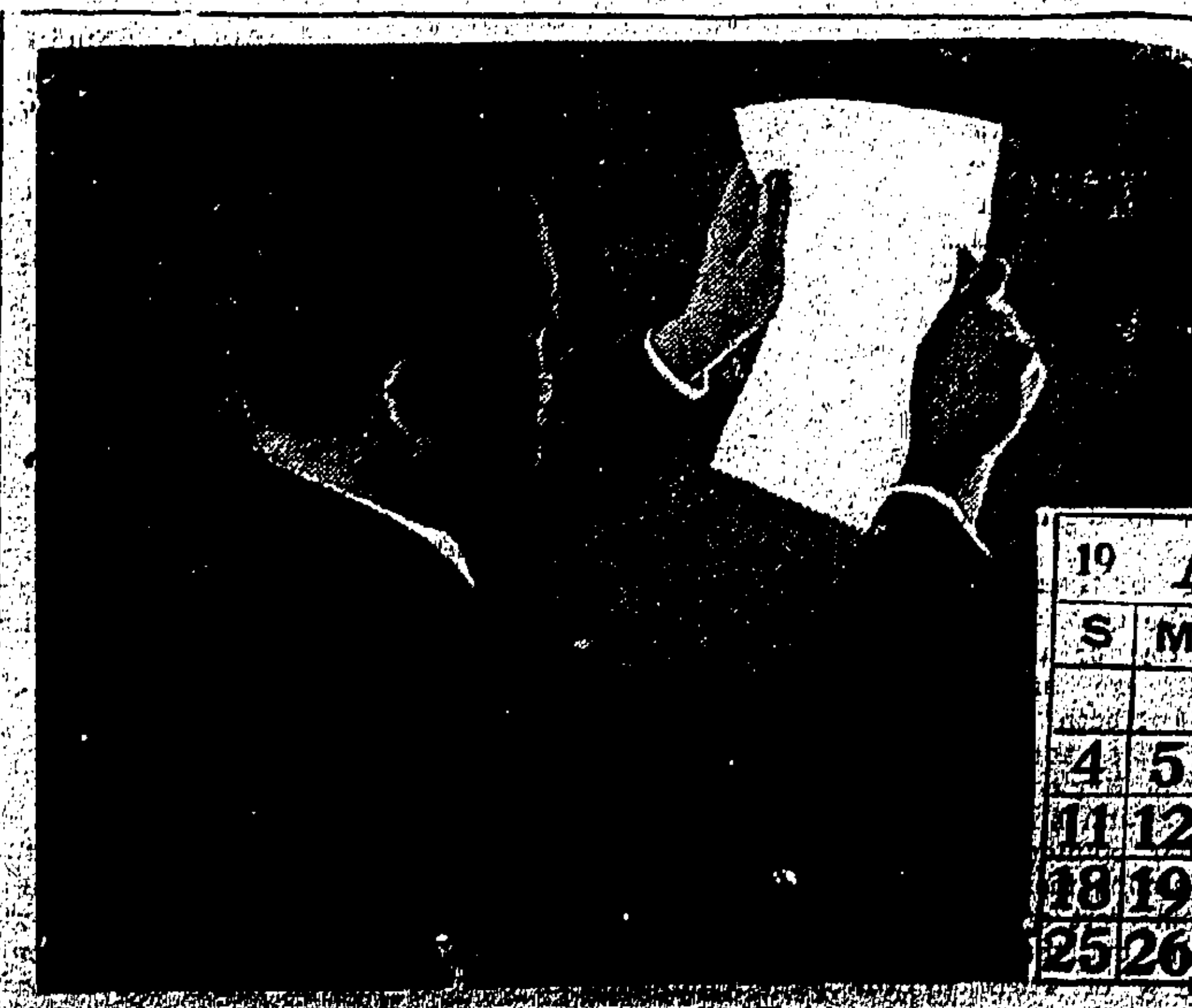
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THE EXCHANGE MARKET

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Tuesday, August 20.
Silver prices were lowered yesterday to the extent of 1/16 for Ready and 1/8 for Forward, the quotations being 29 and 28 15/16 respectively. Silver advances reported India and China as having sold. America bought. The market closed steady.

In America the rate was unchanged at 65 1/2 for spot.
The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 49 1/2 and the New York/London rate at 49 1/2.

Market
Opened with indications of steadiness but later eased off owing to some demand.

Sterling
There were sellers after the opening at 1/11 1/2, buyers bidding 1/11 15/16 with business done subsequently at 1/11 15/16 for October delivery followed by transactions at 1/11 1/2 for near and September and 1/11 15/16 for second half of November and November. The market then eased off further and offers at 1/11 13/16 were accepted for near. September and second half of September. Closing at 1 p.m. with sellers at 1/11 13/16 for August/September and 1/11 13/16 for October. Buyers at 1/16 higher respectively.

U.S. Dollars
Business was done at 49 7/16 for October and 49 1/2 for September. The market closed with sellers at 49 1/2 for August/September and 49 5/16 for October. Buyers at 1/8 higher respectively.

Shanghai Dollars
Sellers were quoted at 13 1/2 for near delivery.

Shanghai Market
Opened with sellers at 1/8 and closed at 1/8 15/16. The highest rate done was 1/8 15/16. U.S. Dollars—opened with sellers at 37 1/2 and closed at 37 1/2. The highest rate done was 37 1/2 for near delivery.

Market
The market was easier in the afternoon.
Sterling
In sterling business was done easily in the afternoon at 1/11 13/16 for October delivery and 1/11 13/16 for second half of November. Later transactions were arranged at 1/11 13/16 for October, 1/11 13/16 for near and 1/11 13/16 for December. Towards the close 1/11 13/16 was done for September finishing with sellers at 1/11 13/16 for August and 1/11 13/16 for September/October. Buyers at 1/11 13/16 for near and 1/11 13/16 for September/October and probably December.

U.S. Dollars
A small business was reported at 49 1/2 for October delivery. The market closed with sellers at 49 1/2 for August/September and 49 1/2 for October. Buyers at 49 1/2 for near and 49 1/2 for October.

RUBBER MARKET REVIEW

We have recovered from the lowest price level reached during the present downward movement. The uneasiness caused by the weakness of the guilder has temporarily abated, and thanks to consumers support an improvement in price is recorded.

There is an apparent paradox arising out of the glowing trade reports from the U.S.A. and the lack of reflex action on the Rubber Trade.

There is little doubt in our minds that trade is on the up-grade in the U.S.A., as shown by the usual indices: steel output, building activity, car loadings, bank debts, motor car production, etc. Yet, in view of the constant kaleidoscopic changes in the economic policy of that country, to the manufacturers and traders the future appears too uncertain to concentrate on a policy involving forward commitments, hence a hand-to-mouth buying of commodities in general, and rubber in particular.

In Continental Europe we find the same symptoms, but for a different cause; the lack of foreign exchange to purchase commodities, except for most urgent requirements. Russia has to sell wheat to create credit to purchase Rubber. Germany replenishes her stocks only when they are at vanishing point. Italy has been obliged to introduce licenses for the importation of the most vital commodities. In normal times all these countries would hold a reserve stock, which meanwhile finds a temporary home in the United Kingdom. The abnormal accumulation would soon be dispersed into

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

	Aug. 17	Aug. 19
Paris	74 61/64	75 1/64
Geneva	15.17 1/2	15.21
Berlin	12.31	12.32 1/2
Athens	518 S.	
Milan	60 1/2	60 17/32
Shanghai	1/8	1/5 13/16
New York	4.97 1/2	4.97 15/16
Amsterdam	7.32	7.33 1/2
Vienna	119 1/2	119 1/2
Bucharest	36 5/32	36 3/16
Madrid		
Lisbon	2/- 3/16	1/11 15/16
Hong Kong	29.42	29.44
Brussels		
Montevideo		
Belgrade		
Montréal	4.98 1/2	4.99
Yokohama	1/2 3/16	
Helsingfors		
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Buenos Aires		
SILVER (Spot)	29 1/16	29
SILVER (forward)	29 1/16	28 15/16
War Loan		3 1/4 105 1/2

Closing Quotations

August 2, 1935.

On London:—	Telegraphic Transfer...
Bank Bills, on demand	1 1/2
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On Shanghai:—	On demand
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On India:—	Telegraphic Transfer...
Bank, on demand	120 1/2

On New York:—

Bank Bills, on demand	1 1/2
Credit, 60 days' sight	1 1/2
On Batavia:—	On demand
On Paris:—	On demand
Bank Bills, on demand	7 1/2
Credit, 4 months' sight	7 1/2
On Saigon:—	On demand
On Manila:—	On demand
On Bangkok:—	On demand
Sovereigns, Bank Buying	Rate
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YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

H. K. Banks are ruling strong with buyers at \$1085 after sales at \$1075/1080 which is well below the London price of £112. 10/-.

Otherwise the market remains dull and featureless.

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Cements, \$3.
SALES
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Antamoks, 79 1/2 cts.
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Rauhs, \$7 1/2.
Vens Goldfields, \$2 1/2.
Providents (Old), 55 cts.
H.K. Dicks, \$7 1/2.
Star Ferries, \$77 1/2.
Electricity, \$59.
Telephones (old), \$20 1/2.
Canton Ice, \$1 1/2.
Ropes, \$1.80.
Dairy farms, \$15.10.
Sinceres, \$5.20.
Watsons, \$3.10.
Govt. Loan 3 1/2% 2%.
Vibro Piling, \$3.
SELLERS
Providents (Old), 65 cts.
Electricity, \$59 1/2.
SALES
Bagulo Gold, 24 cts.

the usual channels on any improvement in World economies. The effect of the hand-to-mouth policy is spasmodic buying with long gaps of inaction. Stocks in the United Kingdom total 175,118 tons at the last return, an increase of 924 tons. During the week, it is estimated that an increase of 400 tons has taken place. Total shipments from Malaya during July are valued over at 43,975 tons, as against 49,751 tons for the previous month, and 55,829 tons for July 1934.

PLANTED RUBBER

After Restriction

Singapore, Aug. 14.
A case of unusual interest was heard in the District Court, Kota Tinggi, on Aug. 7 when Lee Ah Chai, a woman owner of an estate of 50 acres at Sungai Seluyut, Johore, appeared before the magistrate on a charge of having planted up approximately 16 acres of land with rubber subsequent to the introduction of Rubber Restriction last year.

Mr. Ward, Assistant Adviser, Kota Tinggi, prosecuted in his capacity as Assistant Controller of Rubber, Kota Tinggi. The Chief Settlement Officer stated in evidence that he had demarcated the land and found it to be 15 acres, 3 roads, 10 poles. Vicomte R. de Bondy, Senior Rubber Inspector, Kota Tinggi, testified that he had inspected the accused's estate in May. He read excerpts from the report he had then made on the property, to the effect that the land in question had been planted with stumps and seedlings which, in his opinion, were not more than six months old at the outside. The stumps had only recently thrown out leaf, as also the seedlings, and could be easily pulled out by hand.

"MADE IN ERROR"

The accused's defence was that the trees had been planted in March, 1934, but had been injured and atrophied by the depredations of wild pig. She called two witnesses in support.

When asked why she had signed a statement in which the 16 acres were declared to have been planted in 1932-33, she answered that the entry was made in error.

Mr. Ward, submitted that a clear case had been made out. The land had evidently been planted in 1932-33, as originally reported by the owner, but had since reverted to "belukar" and jungle. Practically all the trees had been destroyed by deer or other causes, and the owner had cleaned up the area and replanted it about the month of November last year.

The Magistrate imposed a fine of \$75 or six weeks' imprisonment in default. The question of an order for the eradication of the young trees illegally planted was left to the discretion of the Controller of Rubber.

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Berlin, Aug. 19.
Reports that the Italian Abyssinian outlook is definitely more difficult, and even more slender in respect of an armed conflict being averted, has caused the buyers to exercise extraordinary caution, this attitude is being intensified by Dr. Schacht's speech at Königsberg on Sunday, though on the other hand, his definite assurance that the Reichsmark currency would remain stable, helped to adjust the balance.

Prices weakened at the close. Young Loan was unchanged at 103 1/2. Reichsbanks dropped 3/4 to 188. Dytrusts down 1 1/8 to 188 1/2. Salzketturth Potash weakened to 201. German Steel Trusts dropped 1 3/8 to 87.

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MILK MARKETING SCHEME

London, Aug. 19.
The result of poll of registered milk producers, taken as provided by the Agricultural Marketing Act, to determine whether the milk marketing scheme instituted in 1933 should now be revoked or continued, is announced as follows:

For continuing the scheme, there were 79,711 individual votes (or 81 per cent.) representing 1,431,342 votes based on the cow population, of 861 per cent. For ending the scheme 18,747 individual votes, representing 222,722 votes based on the cow population were returned. The milk marketing scheme therefore will continue.

British Wireless.

SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER

Latex Singapore Prices

BENJAMIN & POTTS
Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers), from Singapore yesterday for Raw Rubber:—
Spot 19 1/2 cts. down 1 ct.
Sept. 19 1/2 cts. down 1 ct.
Oct./Dec. 19 1/2 cts. down 1 ct.
Jan./Mar. 20 1/2 cts. down 1 ct.
Market—Quiet.

H. B. JOSEPH & CO.
Messrs. H. B. Joseph & Co. received the following Straits currency quotations from Singapore for Raw Rubber:—
Buyers Sellers
Spot 19 1/2 down 1 10 1/2
Oct./Dec. 19 1/2 down 1 10 1/2
Jan./Mar. 20 1/2 down 1 20 1/2
Apr./June 21 1/2 down 1 21 1/2
Market—Is Stagnant.

CONSIGNEE NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES
OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.
AND
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Co.'s Vessel "TEUGER"
FROM UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENTAL PORTS VIA SINGAPORE

are hereby notified that their Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignee's risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 20th Aug.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godown, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 27th Aug. will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 10th Sept., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agents. 20th August, 1935. [375c]

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FROM LEITH, MIDDLEBROO, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

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All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 6th Sept. 1935, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Bonded Officer's attendance when damaged, shiftable, goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godown, where they will be examined on the 28th Aug. 1935, at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Ltd. Agents. Hong Kong, 16th Aug. 1935. [174c]

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27th August, 11 a.m.

TO MANILA, MAKASSAR, BALI & SOERABAYA
S.S. "TJIBADAK"
3rd September, 10 a.m.

TO AMOY & SHANGHAI
S.S. "TJIBADAK"
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Kaying, B. & S., August 31.

Hosang, Jardine's, September 1.

Hotan Maru, O.S.K., September 1.

Haitan, Douglas, September 2.

Anhui, B. & S., September 3.

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Teucer, B. & S., August 23.

Ermland, Jensen's, September 1.

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Sumatra, Lloyd Triestino, August 25.

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Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, August 28.

Hosang, Jardine's, August 30.

Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, August 30.

Meunier, B. & S., August 31.

Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 1.

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	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Arrive
E/Japan	Jan. 14	Jan. 16	Jan. 18	Jan. 19	Jan. 21	Jan. 27	Feb. 1
E/Asia	Jan. 29	Jan. 31	Feb. 2	Feb. 4	Feb. 6	Feb. 12	Feb. 15
E/Canada	Feb. 11	Feb. 13	Feb. 15	Feb. 16	Feb. 18	Feb. 25	Mar. 1
E/Russia	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 3	Mar. 5	Mar. 12	Mar. 14
E/Japan	Mar. 6	Mar. 8	Mar. 10	Mar. 11	Mar. 13	Mar. 19	Mar. 24
E/Asia	Mar. 20	Mar. 22	Mar. 24	Mar. 26	Mar. 28	Mar. 34	Apr. 6
E/Canada	Apr. 3	Apr. 5	Apr. 7	Apr. 8	Apr. 10	Apr. 17	Apr. 22
E/Russia	Apr. 17	Apr. 19	Apr. 21	Apr. 23	Apr. 25	Apr. 31	May 4
E/Japan	May 1	May 3	May 5	May 6	May 8	May 14	May 19
E/Asia	May 15	May 17	May 19	May 21	May 23	May 29	June 1
E/Canada	May 29	May 31	June 1	June 3	June 5	June 12	June 17
E/Russia	June 12	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20	June 26	June 29
E/Japan	June 26	June 28	June 30	July 1	July 3	July 9	July 14
E/Asia	July 10	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18	July 24	July 27
E/Canada	July 24	July 26	July 28	July 29	July 31	Aug. 6	Aug. 12

Next sailing to VANCOUVER

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HIKAWA MARU ... (Starts from Kobe) Monday, 2nd Sept.
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LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM

KATORI MARU ... Saturday, 31st Aug.
 KASHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 11th Sept.
 YASUKUNI MARU ... Friday, 27th Sept.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

KITANO MARU ... Saturday, 24th Aug.
 ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 28th Sept.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

TOKIWA MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Aug.
 CALOUTTA MARU ... Thursday, 5th Sept.
 ANYO MARU ... Wednesday, 11th Sept.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

HEIYO MARU ... Monday, 9th Sept.
 KONGO MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Aug.
 NABUTO MARU ... Tuesday, 10th Sept.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus.

Genoa and Valencia.
 LYONS MARU ... Saturday, 14th Sept.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

HAKODATE MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Aug.
 KENODA MARU ... Sunday, 8th Sept.

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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 12,900 TONS;
 THROUGH CARGO
 35,600 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

Cargo for Through
 H.K. Ports.

British
 Lyemmoon, 2,500 — — —

Yat Shing, Canton — — —

Chung King, Newchwang 420 — 1,501

Glaucus, Shanghai — — —

American
 Pres. Lincoln, 1,378 — 2,312

German
 Bremerhaven, 1,378 — 2,312

Dutch
 Josefina, Balikpapan 2,766 — — —

Norwegian
 Sandviken, Canton — — 248

Tonjer, C. W. Tao 839 — 3,500

Danish
 Gertrude Maersk, Manila — — 6,400

Panamanian
 Tai Ping Yang, Manila 70 — 5,819

Japanese
 Meigen Maru, Milke 3,551 — — —

Kaiyo Maru, Takao 35 — — —

Delagoa Maru, Shanghai 109 — 2,544

Muroran Maru, Singapore 500 — 6,438

Celebes Maru, Sakito 321 — 6,107

Chinese
 Tchekam, Holhow 454 — 20

Stanley, Swabue 49 — — —

Total 12,992 — 35,612

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Lyemmoon (Br.), Saigon 171

Bremerhaven (Ger.), Rabaul 3

Sandviken (Nor.), Canton 19

Tchekam (Ch.), Holhow 7

Stanley (Ch.), Swabue 234

Total 444

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The list of ships expected to be in wireless communication by the Government Radio Office with Hong Kong yesterday:—
 Baron Behaven, Royoka Maru, Hal King, Celebes Maru and Benavon.

ARRIVALS

20TH AUGUST.

Roseville, Norwegian steamer, 3,507 tons, Captain E. Balstad, from Shanghai, Kowloon Dock.

—Bank Line.
 Selstan, British steamer, 1,571 tons, Captain R. C. Creer, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.

—Douglas & Co.
 Lyemmoon, British steamer, 1,734 tons, Captain E. Holmes, from Saigon, buoy No. B16.—W. O. Fat Sing.

Sirdhana, British steamer, 4,335 tons, Captain R. C. Brown, from Calcutta via Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. & Co.

Canton, Swedish steamer, 3,432 tons, Captain S. Holberg, from Manila, buoy No. A3.—Gilmann & Co.

Hop Sang, British steamer, 1,359 tons, Captain C. Nock, from Tientsin, buoy No. B8.—J. M. & Co.

Glenshiel, British steamer, 5,769 tons, Captain Sanders, from London, via Singapore, Hol's Wharf.—J. M. & Co.

Sandviken, Norwegian steamer, 1,775 tons, Capt. A. Norvalds, from Canton, buoy No. B2.—J. M. & Co.

Hai Ching, British steamer, 1,322 tons, Captain W. B. Patey, from Hongkong, Yaumati.—Douglas & Co.

Anshun, British steamer, 1,869 tons, Captain J. McCulloch, from Amoy, buoy No. B14.—B. & S.

King Yuan, British steamer, 1,548 tons, Captain J. Taylor, from Swatow, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.

Heimvard, Norwegian steamer, 2,745 tons, Captain J. Straus, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—Jebens & Co.

Tijbadak, Dutch steamer, 4,801 tons, Captain J. Naerebout, from Semarang via Tg. Pandan, buoy No. A9.—J. C. J. Line.

19TH AUGUST.

Australien, Danish steamer, 4,246 tons, Capt. C. V. Frederiksen, from Manila, buoy No. B11.—Dodwell & Co.

CLEARANCES

20TH AUGUST.

Sui Yang, for Swatow
 Tynegara, for Manila
 Changte, for Manila

Celebes Maru, for Singapore
 Hai Ching, for Canton
 Tin Seng, for K. C. Wan

Prominent, for Canton
 Hai Yang, for Swatow
 King Yuan, for Canton

Nanshin Maru, for Kaniama
 Liangchow, for Shanghai
 Heimvard, for Manila

Hop Sang, for Canton
 Haldis, for Saigon
 Hunan, for Canton

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

British 4 3
 American 1 0
 German 1 0
 Dutch 1 0

Norwegian 2 3
 Danish 1 1
 Panama 1 0

Japanese 5 2
 Chinese 2 2

Total 18 11

ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONG KONG

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Anhui, B. & S., September 10.
 D'Artagnan, Messageries, Sept. 10.

Hai Lee, Thoresen's, September 10.
 Sirdhana, B.L. (Apar), September 13.

Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., September 14.
 Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 14.

Necker, Melchers, September 14.
 Pres. Johnson, Dollar's, September 14.

Roseville, Bank Line, September 23.
 Touraine, Thoresen's, September 25.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports
 Triangon, Thoresen's, August 25.

Laomedon, B. & S., August 28.
 Sarpedon, B. & S., August 28.

Nagara, Gilman's, September 3.
 Panama, E.A. Co., September 14.

Touraine, Thoresen's, September 25.
 Kidderpore, P. & O., September 4.

Rhein, Jebens's, August 25.
 Chonocaux, Messageries, August 28.

Sale, Melchers, August 28.
 Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 31.

President Hayes, Dollar's, August 31.
 Glaucus, B. & S., September 2.

Nagara, Gilman's, September 3.
 Potsdam, Melchers, September 3.

Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 9.
 D'Artagnan, Messageries, Sept. 10.

Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., September 14.
 Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 14.

Pres. Johnson, Dollar's, September 14.
 Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 9.

United Kingdom and Continental
 City of Hereford, Bank Line, Sept. 9.

Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 14.
 Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 9.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Kowloon.—Sirdhana, President
 Lincoln, Heimvard and Bremer-

haven.
 Hol's.—Glenshiel.
 Douglas Laprak.—Hai Yang.

Chiu On.—Hydrangea.
 DOCKS

Kowloon.—Fingal, Clara Jebens,
 Havdrot, Tak Sang and Silver

Sandal.
 Talkoo.—B.M.S. Olympus, Hunan,
 King Lee, Kin Shan, Glaucus,

Ninghai, Soochow, Wing Wo and
 Hang Cheong.

BUOYS

No. A4.—Tung On.
 No. A7.—Changte.

No. A8.—Tyndareus.
 No. A9.—Tijbadak.

No. A11.—Meigen Maru.
 No. B1.—Sui Yang.

No. B2.—Sandviken.
 No. B3.—Kwangtung.

No. B4.—Michael Jebens.
 No. B5.—Haldis.

No. B6.—Clara Jebens.
 No. B7.—Canton.

No. B8.—Hop Sang.
 No. B10.—Prosper.

No. B11.—Australien.
 No. B12.—Prominent.

No. B14.—Anshun.
 No. B15.—Kalgan.

No. B16.—Lyemmoon.
 No. B20.—Liangchow.

No. B25.—Nanshin Maru.
 No. C1.—Promise.

No. C2.—Chekiang.

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RANCHI	17,000	24th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*BEHAR	6,000	31st Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havra, London, Antwerp & Hull
*KIDDERPORE	5,000	4th Sept.	Straits and Bombay
*NADDERA	15,000	7th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*SUDAN	7,000	14th Sept.	Marseilles, Havra, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull
RANPURA	17,000	31st Sept.	Marseilles & London
RAJPUTANA	17,000	6th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*BURDWAN	6,000	13th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havra, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull
CHITRAL	15,000	19th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
CATHAY	15,000	2nd Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London

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TAKADA	7,000	27th Sept.	
TILAWA	10,000	11th Oct.	
SANTHA	8,000	25th Oct.	

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TANDA	7,000	31st Aug.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
NANKIN	7,000	4th Sept.	
NELLORE	7,000	2nd Nov.	

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

SIRDHANA	8,000	22nd Aug.	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
RANPURA	17,000	22nd Aug.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
*BURDWAN	6,000	4th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Sept.	

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